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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON: -F. ALGAR, 8, Clement's Lune, Lombord Street. GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTOH, Ludgate Circus, E. C. BATES, HENDY & Co., 4, Old Joury, E.C. SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

NEW YORK :- ANDREW WIND, 188, Notsau Sirect. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZRALAND :- GORDON & GOTCH, Mel-

bourns and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally:-BEAN & BLACK, San Fran-

CHINA:-Swatow, Quelon & CAMPBELL, Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co. Pocchoso, HEDGE & Co. Shanghai. LAME, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY WALSH. Manila, C. Heinsenn & Co. Matao, L. A. DA GRAGA.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL,.....5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND 650,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIBECTORS. Chairman-H. Hoppius, Esq. Deputy Chairman-F. D. Sissoon, Esq. E. R. Belilios, Esq. | WILHELM REINERS, W. H. Forses, Esq. Hon. W. KESWICK. ED. TOBIN, Esq. A. McIver, Esq.

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HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily For Fixed Deposits :-

For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. 4 per cent.,, 5 per cent. ,,

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, August 16, 1877.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

CAPITAL,....£800,000. RESERVE FUND,.....£110,000.

BANKERS. THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE CITY BANK. THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in HONG-KONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business. Local Bills discounted, and Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Derosits for fixed periods on terms which may

be accertained on application.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FIHE Undersigned harreceived instructions to sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY.

p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,---12 casks CLARET. 25 cases Bisquir Dusouche & Co.'s any information required.

1 to 4 Star COGNAC. 32 cases OLARET, "St. Emelion," in Quarte and Pints.

17 cases CLARET, "Larose." 3 cases CLARET, "Lafitte." 48 cases OLARET, "St. Julien.". 41 cases CLARET, "St. Esteph," in

Quarts and Pints. 80 cases BRANDY 20 cases BURGUNDY. 5 cases CHAMPAGNE.

83 cases CLARET. TERMS OF SALE .- Oash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots, with all faults and errors of

description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Audioneor. Hopgkong, September 19, 1877. se24 Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell on SATURDAY.

the 6th October, 1877, at 4 p.m., at the Spot,-7 CHINESE HOUSES, Nos. 7 to 19, Situated at the Upper Station Street. Ground Rent, \$14 per Annum.

For Particulars, apply to J. M. GUEDES, Jr., Auctioneer.

Hongkong, September 20, 1877.

CONSULAT DE FRANCE À HONGKONG.

AVIS.

LIN vertu d'une décision du Contre-Amiral Gouverneur et Commandant en chef, en date du 10 septembre 1877: Il sera procédé le lundi 1er octobre prochain, à sept heures du matin, dans les bureaux du Receveur des domaines de Saigon, rue Catinat, et par ses soins, commissariat de la marine dument représenté, à la vente aux enchères publiques de la coque doublée et chevillée en cuivre du vaisseau le "FLEURUS."

Le prix, augmenté de 5 pour cent pour tous frais, sera payé comptant. Les étrangers pourront prendre part à l'adjudication.

Des le 20 septembre courant, le public sera admis à visiter le bâtiment, sur une autorisation du Commandant de la marine. Saigon, le 10 septembre 1877.

[Translation.]

TOY virtue of a Decree of the Rear Admiral, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Cochin China, dated September Seven o'clock in the morning, WILL BE

the Receveur des Domaines de Saigon, Rue duly represented,-The Hull of the French Man-of-war

"FLEURUS! Coppered and Copper Fastened. The purchase money, plus Five per cent. for all expenses, to be paid in each. Foreigners will be permitted to purchase. The Public will be admitted to inspect the Vessel from the 20th September, by authority of the Commandant de la Ma-

Salgon, 10th September, 1877.

買船在週富者外柴知浪遊 押根準沙 脆精總以總現銅纸 總 育田官十水便百坡座月陸 分 杸 欲爲捉立 準需地許

G, BOULOUZE, Acting Consul for France. Hongkong, September 18, 1877.

intimations.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL. TIENDERS are invited for a LEASE of 1 the HONGKONG HOTEL, the present Five-yearly Lease expiring on the Blat THE DEVOE MANUFACTURING Co., the 24th September, 1877, at 2 o'clock August, 1878. SEALED TENDERS to be sent in on or before the 31st March, 1878, to the Secretary of the Honekong Hotel Company, Limited, who will supply [jyl1]

> By Order of the Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD,

Secretary. Hongkong, September 18, 1877.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD

WILL be paid to the Person who finds.
Two Thin GOLD RINGS. for no value to any one but the Owner), and Returns them to the Compradore of Douglas LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, September 17, 1877.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS begs to inform his Tilbingen.
Petrons and the Public that he intends to visit AMOY and FOOCHOW in September and October, leaving HONG-KONG about the lath of September, Hongkong, August & 1977.

Intimations.

G. FALCONER & Co., WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS,

JEWELLERS. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS. 46, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, August 20, 1877. NOTICE.

A. MILLAR & Co., PLUMBERS, AND GAS FITTERS, Queen's Road East,

HONGKONG. September 15, 1877. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the proportion of the Net Profits to be reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted.

Secretary. Hongkong, August 1, 1877. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ATOTICE is hereby given that the Ordi nary Yearly MEETING of the On MONDAY, 1st October next, at SHAREHOLDERS of this Society will be Held at its Head Office, Hongkong, on SOLD by Public Auction, at the Office of WEDNESDAY, the 26th Inst., at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Catinat, the Marine Commissariat being Report of the Directors, together with Statements of Accounts for the Year 1876. and for the half year ending 30th June,

The Transfer BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 26th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board,

> E. MOORE, Act. Secretary.

Hongkong, September 12, 1877. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the distribution of Twenty per cent (20 %) of the Nett Profits reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st-October next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, August 1, 1877.

RELIABLE, ECONOMICAL, SAFE!!

TESIRING to benefit by the worldwide reputation of our Oil, certain parties have attempted to imitate our packages. Suits at law have been instituted against the MARERS AND PURCHASERS Of these imitations. Buyers should be careful DANCE, - Highland Fling, - Mics Alics to see that the words "DEVOE'S BRIL-LIANT" are stencilled on the cases, and the words "DEVOE M'F'G CO. PATENTS" are stamped on the top of the can.

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NEW YORK, U. S. A.

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FOR BALE. UTLER, PALMER & Co.'s

Brands of WINES and SPIRITS. Apply to SIEMESEN & Co. Hongkung, June 28, 1876.

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A to K, with Introduction. Royal 8vo., Price: Two Duttais And A Halv. To be had from Messis Lane, CRAWFORD ECo., Hongkong and Shanghal; and Mossra KELLY & Walsh, Shanghal, Hongkong, February 6, 1877.

~ For Sale.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & CO. HAVE FOR SALE, EX STEAMSHIPS

"YORKSHIRE," "MADAGASCAR, "CITY OF TOKIO," &c., &c.

fe20 NEW SEASON'S (MAY) BUTTER. The First Shipment of Busch & Co.'s Celebrated Cowbrand DANISH BUTTER In Tins of 1 lb. each, 60 Cents per lb. In Tins of 2 lb. each, 55 Cents per lb. In Tins of 4 lb. each, 50 Cents per lb.

Fresh supplies of Crosse & Blackwell's OILMANS' STORES, and American Family MESS STORES,-As per their JULY PRICE LIST.

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Very Best Quality.) Very Superior California BLANKETS, 12/4 aud 14/4. California KNEE BOOTS. Dawson's Best London-made GENTLE.

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BILLIARD TABLE CLOTHS. ROCKETS and BLUE-LIGHTS. HOTH'S RUSSIAN ROPE and TARRED LINES. FISHING LINES and WHITE LINES, of all descriptions. INDIA RUBBER SHEETS, and In-

sertion of all Sizes. INDIA RUBBER and CANVAS DE. LIVERY and SUCTION HOSE. Cabin Suspension LAMPS. Cabin CANDLESTICKS. FENDERS and FIRE IRONS. Japanned TOILET SETS.

CARRIAGE LAMPS, and CARRIAGE CANDLES. WATER FILTERS. Gosnell's HAIR BRUSHES, BRUSHES, and

A Fine Assortment of DE LA RUE'S STATIONERY, BOOKS. NOVELS, WORKS OF REFERENCE, SCHOOL BOOKS.

Hongkong, September 15, 1877.

DE SOUZA & Co.'s TATE BLOCK FOR 1878, CONTAINING ENGLISH & CHINESE DATES, &C. IS NOW READY.

A liberal allowance will be made for 10 or more Copies. Hongkong, September 17, 1877.

FOR SALE. DERLIN TIVOLI BEER, in Cases of 4 Doz. Quarts. WIELER & Co. Hongkong, August 20, 1877.

Entertainment. THE ROYAL BIJOU VARIETY TROUPE.

UNDER DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE WILLGIVE ONE ENTERTAINMENT, AT THE CITY HALL, HONGKONG, This Evening,

22nd September, 1877,

COMMENCE AT 9 P.M., PUNCTUALLY. PROGRAMME:

Overture. To Commence with the Laughable Farce. "BORROWED PLUMES."

Interval of Ten Minutes.

DANCE, -"Irish Jig," -Miss Alice St. Clair. Bong, -Gentleman Amateur. DANCE, - "Spanish Tarantella," - Miss Alice St. Olair. OPERATIO, - "Selections," - Orchestra. St. Clair.

Interval of Ten Minutes.

PART III. Overture. "TABLEAUX VIVANTS." Illustrated with Descriptive Music and Pyrotechnic Illuminations, TABLEAU 1 .-- ACIS & GALATEA, in Three Changes. 2.—THE FIGHTING GLA-

DIATORS. 8.-FLORA. 4. THE FIRST FRATRICIDE, in Three Changes.

O.—CASSANDRA & APOLLO. 6.—THE DYING GLADIATOR 7.—SATYRS & SLEEPING

NYMPH. 8. GRAND FINALE-BRI-TANNIA. M. PARIZZA will preside at the Pianoforte.

Plan to be seen and Tickets obtained at Messra LANE, CHAWFORD & Co. si also at pp. 202.—By ERNEST JOHN Effet, Ph.D. the Door of the Theatre on the night of Performance. ADMISSION !

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

H. WILSON, Manager, Hongkops, September 27, 1877.

Shipping.

Steamers. FOR COOKTOWN AND SYDNEY.

The British Steamer "OHINKIANG," Capt. W. ORR, will be despatch. ed as above on MONDAY, the 24th Instant, at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, September 20, 1877.

FOR SINGAPORE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling off the usual Coast Ports to land Mails and Passengers.) The Eastern and Australian

Mail Steam Co.'s Steamer "BRISBANE" will be despatched as above, on or about the 5th October next. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, September 21, 1877.

FOR SHANGHAL The British Steamer "BRAEMAR CASTLE, Capt. Ayles, will have immediate despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, September 20, 1877.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British Bark "ABERLADY," J. NICOLL, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

Agents.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1877.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British Barone "GRASMERE," HASTINGS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1877.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 German Ship Bunje, Master, will load here "JOHANNE," for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong, July 31, 1877. FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Barque "GEO. CROSHAW. GEO. IRVING, Master, will have

early despatch as above. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, July 28, 1877.

FOR HAMBURG. The A 1 British Bark "LORD MACAULAY, Capt. MONKMAN, will load for the above Port, and will have

quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, July 20, 1877.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L. I. L. German Ship GALATEA, JAEGER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, September 10, 1877.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 British Ship J. Harris, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have immediate despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1877.

FOR LONDON. 8/3 L. 1, 1. American Ship B. F. Berry, Master, having the greater portion of her Cargo angaged, will have quick despatch as above.

MEYER & Cc. Hongkong, September 12, 1877.

For Freight, spoly to

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Ship "GOLD HUNTER," J. FREEMAN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have early despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 3, 1877.

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. VENETIA. BOKHARA AND GEELONG.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above. named Vessels, from London, Bombay and Intermediate Ports, and in connection with the Steamer MONGOLIA from Caloutta, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Company's Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery can be obtained from this

Goods not delivered by the 28th September will be subject to rent. ADAM LIND, Superintendent.

Hongkong, September 21, 1877. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

HE Steamship STRATHAIRLY having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk by the Undersigned Into their Godowns, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Goods will be forwarded to Japan, unless notice to the contrary is given before Noon To-day. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 17, 1877.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. THE S.S. Braemar Castle having arrived, L Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk by the Undersigned into their Godowns, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Goods will be forwarded on to Shanghai, unless notice to the contrary is given before 5 p.m. To-day. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 27th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, September 20, 1877. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

THE S. S. Glenariney having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk and stored in the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded to Shanghai, unless notice to the contrary is given before Noon To-day. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

22nd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MACHESON & Co. Hongkong, September 17, 1877.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S. S. COMPANY.

CONSIGNRES of Cargo per Steamship GAELIC, from San Francisco, &c., are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding discharge of the Steamer will be landed and stored at Consignees? risk and expense.

Hongkong, September 20, 1877. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

G. B. EMORY,

S. S. YANG-TSE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per B. B. tion with the above Steamer, are hereby in formed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees, before 2 p.m. To-DAY, the 18th Instant, requesting it to be landed here.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Tues-

DAY, the 25th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected. H. DU POURY.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, BAIGON, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES:

ALS0, BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND

PORT LOUIS. ON SATURDAY, the 29th September. 1877, at Noon, the Company's S. SINDH, Commandant Nombedeu. with Mails, Passengers, specie. and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 28th September, 1877. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

H. DU POUEY, Hongkong, September 20, 1877.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, ER COMMECTION WITH THE CENTRAL

UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES

ATLANTIO STHAMERS.

THE S. S. "GAELIC" will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohams, on MONDAY, the Lat October. at 8 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States and Europe. Connection is made at Yokohama, with

Steamers from Shanghal Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 50th Instant. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Return Passage Tickets available for 6 months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent, on regular rates.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 87, Queen's Road Central. G. B. EMURY, Agent.

Hon kong, September 10, 1877.

To Let.

TO LET. TOS. 4, and 5, Pechili Terrace, Elgin STREET. Apply to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, July 30, 1877.

NOFFICE TO LET. Apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, September 15, 1877.

TO LET. TYOP FLOOR of the House now occupied by Mr A. Hann, at Wanchai. Apply on the Premises. Hongkong, September 11, 1877.

TO LET. THE DWELLING HOUSE In CAINE ROAD, at present in the occupation of

H. Du Pouey, Esq. Possession from 1st November next. Apply to

East Point. Hongkong, September 7, 1877.

TO LET. THE Dwelling House and Offices No. 1, D'Aguilar Street, lately in the occupation of Messrs Douglas LAPRAIN & Co. The Dwelling House No. 6, Gough Street. The Dwelling House No. 10, Gough

Street. Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, July 9, 1877.

TO LET.

TTOUSE No. 10, Albany Road, lately occupied by the Rev. R. H. KIDD. Bisnes Villa," Pok-foo-lum, Furnished. Houses Nos. 8 and 9, Peddar's Hill. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, July 21, 1877.

NOTICE,

THE CHINESE MAIL.

MROM and after the Chinese Now Year's day (February 17, 1874) the Chinese Mail will be issued DAILY instead of TRI-WEEKLY as heretoforo. No change, however, will be made in the price of subscription, which will remain at \$4 per annum.

The charger for advertisements are now assimilated to those of the China Mail The unusual success which has attended the Chinese Mail makes it an admirable medium for advertisers.

The Conductors guarantee an eventual elicalities of one thousand copies. It is already the most influential native journal at the Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Penang, Calcutta, San Francisto and Australia,

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Chira Mail Office, 17th February, 1975, insurances.

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THIS Company is now Prepared to Issue Policies against LOSS or DAMAGE by FIRE at Current Rates. Every Risk taken by this Company is participated in by Three of the largest German Fire Insurance Companies, representing an aggregate Capital and Surplus of over SIXTY MILLION MARKS. equal to FIFTEEN MILLION DOLLARS, thus enabling this Company to accept large

> SANDER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 26, 1877. **se26**

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE CO.

Subscribed Capital Two Million, in 1,000 shares of Taels 2,000 each. PAID UP CAPITAL Tacks Six Hundred Thousand, or Taels 600 per share.

PROVISIONAL COMMITTEE. F. H. Bell, Esq. (Messrs Adamson, Bell & Co.) M. S. Gubbay, Esq., (Messre David Sassoon,

Sons & Co. James Hart, Esq., (Messes Turner & Co.) E. H. Lavers, Esq., (Messrs/Gilman & Co.) HUGH SUTHERLAND, Esq., (Mesers John Forster

A. G. Wood, Esq., (Messrs Gibb, Livingston first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single & Co.) HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAI.

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BRANCHES, LONDON (25, Cornhill, E.C.), Hongrong, **Уоконама.**

AGENCIES. At the principal ports in the East and Australian

TTHE Company will be constituted on the 1st January, 1878, as a permanent Marine Insurance Company, to carry on the business (established in 1863) of the North China Insurance Company, 1875-1877.

A Reserve Fund will be formed of Taels 400,000, by setting aside a portion of the profits at such times and in such sums as the Shareholders shall decide.

The net profits of the Company for each year will be divided amongst the Shareholders, in the following manner:-One-third over the Shares, a portion thereof being set aside for the forma-

tion of a Reserve Fund as above stated.

Two-thirds as a return to Contributors (being Shareholders), in proportion the Premia paid or influenced by them. A revision of the Share Last will take place at the end of every three years, and for this purpose power will be given to the Directors by the Deed of Settlement to withdraw at the before-mentioned periods all or any of the Shares held by Shareholders who have not contributed Premia or whose contributions during the preceding three years have not been in proportion

to the number of Shares held. Shareholders retiring from the Company in pursuance of the above regulation, will be notified at least three months prior to the date fixed for any such revision of the Share List, and will have the option of disposing of their Shares in either of the following ways :---

They will be at liberty at any time after receipt of r ice of withdrawal, and prior to the date of revision, to sell their Shares to any person approved by the Company and accepted as the transferee : ...

Unon surrendering their scrip certificate for cancellation at the time of such revision, and pursuant to notice, will receive a return of the Capital paid up thereon; and so soon after as the financial position of the Company up to the date of the revision can be ascertained and the accounts adjusted, they shall also receive a pro-rata share of the Reserve Fund, if any accumulated, together with such proportion of the unappropriated profits as may be found due to them.

Notice is hereby given, that Applications for Shares in the undermentioned form will be received at the offices of the Company, from residents in China and Japan, until the 30th September; from London and distant ports until 81st October next.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR

SHARES. To the Provisional Committee of the NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

Gentlemen, hereby request that you will allot to Shares in the

above Company, and.....agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to.....; and.....; and..... agree to pay the first call of Tls. 600 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and to subscribe the Deed of Settlement when required to do so. Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

Forms of application for Shares can be obtained at the Head-office, or by applica- £5,000 at reduced rates. tion to the Agents of the Company. Shanghai, June 18, 1877.

SHEONG ON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

2000 CAPITAL ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

Directora. KWOM ACHEONG; Merchant. PANG YIM, Merchant. Ho Sam, of Hop Yik Chan, Metchant. Loo YEE, of the Yee On Hong, Merchant, LES Sing, of Lai Hing Firm, Merchant. CHEANG SING YEONG, Merchant, CHOY CHAN, Merchant.

Manager-HO AMEL

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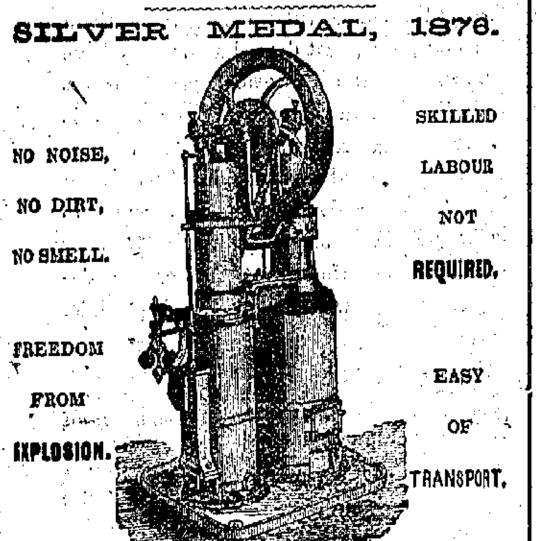
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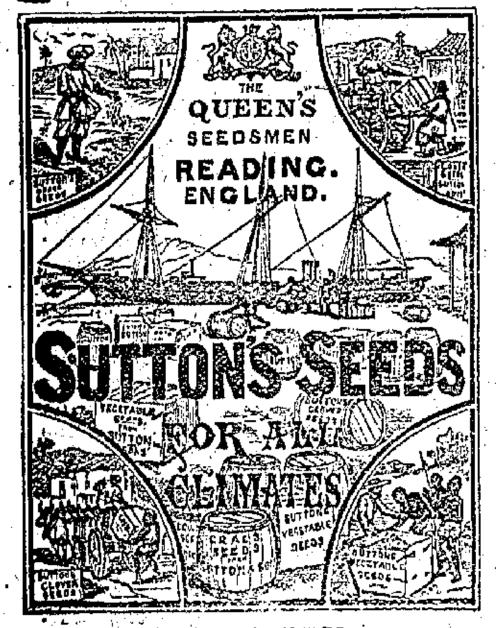
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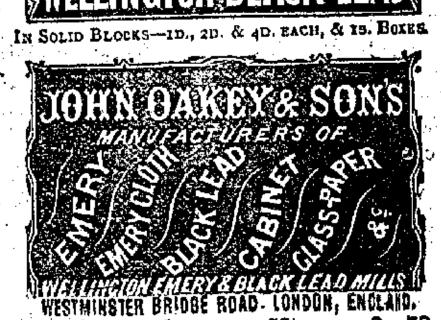
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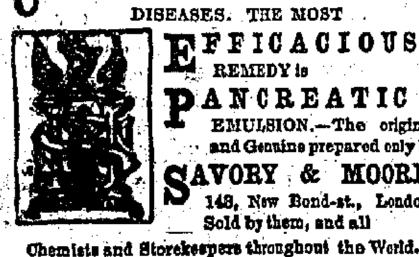
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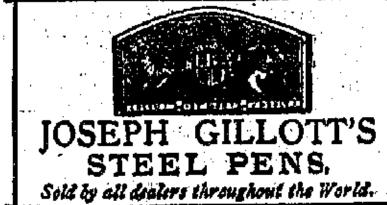
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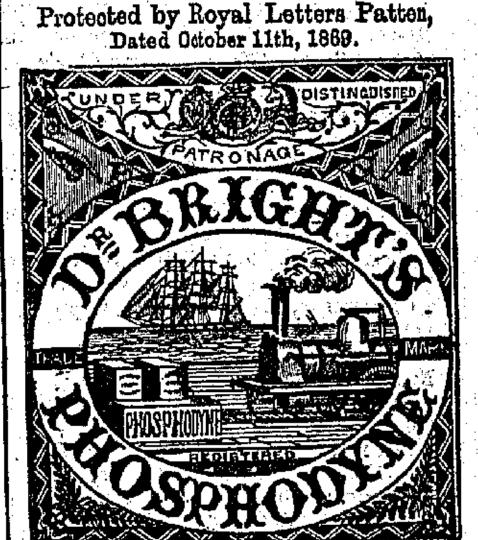
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NOTICE. TATR. CHARLES DAVID BOTTOMLEY was admitted a PARTNER in our 14, Regulus, Firm on the 1st July, 1877. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 22, 1877.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Sept. 21, Pernambuco, British steamer, 643, W. Hyde, Saigon Sept. 17, Rice.-WM. PUSTAU & Co.

Sept. 22, Burmese, British steamer, 1268, Luck, Yokohama Sept. 3, and Nagasaki 16. General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co. Sept. 22, Antenor, British steamer, 1644, Jones, Shanghai Sept. 15, and Foschow 20 General.—Butterfield & Swife. Sept. 22, Hart, British gunboat, 486 Evans, Pakhoi Sept. 18.

Sept. 22, Chun Tung, Chinese gunboat, from a cruise. Sept. 22, Sun Kee, Chinese gunboat, from a cruise.

DEPARTURES. Sept. 22, Emma, for Amoy.

Golden Horn, for Saigon. Lombardy, for Europe, &c. Douglas, for Coast Ports.

22, Bombay, for Yokohama. 22. Geelong, for Shanghal. 22. Washi, for Holhow. 22. Ceres, for Newchwang. 22, Winlow, for Melbourne.

CLEARED William Cobb, for New York. James Shepherd, for Newchwess. Malvina, for Newsbwang. Braemar Castle, for Shanghais Charité, for Halphong. Quickstep, for Newchwang. Gustav, for Newchwang. Norna, for Swatow. Anan, for Guam.

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Per Antenor, from Shanghal, &c., Mrs Pranckard, Miss Moule, and 3 Chinese, for London; and 36 Chinese for Hongkong. Par Pernambuco, from Saigen, 11 Chi-

Per Burmese, from Yokohams, &c., 10 Chinese.

Per Lombardy, for Southampton, Mrs Tin, 6 pkgs. Cinnamon, 8 pkgs. Silks, and Archer, E. G. Jasper, Pr. Finnimore 28th, 56 pkgs. Opium. For Victoria, B.C., 4 H W. Worthy, R.N.; for Galle, Mr Fair- pkgs. Crude Oplum. For San Jose, 26 hurst i for Singapore, Man Fook Sing. phys. Silk Goods. For Panama, 96 pkgs. From Yokohama; for Southampton, Capt. Merchandise, 1 pkg. Silks, 3 pkgs. Malwa and Mrs Sturrock and infant, J. King, H. Oplum, and 10 bags Peas. For Callac. 5 Allen. N. Wylie, J. W. Spring, J. Dickson, pkgs. Merchandise, 3 pkgs. Tea, 10 pkgs. J. H. Bourne and 27 Europeans; for Cal- Sills, and 1 pkg. Crude Opium. For New cutte. D. Webster. From Shanghai; for York, 195 bales Raw Silk, 82 pkgs, Fans, Southampton, D. D. Murray; for Bombay, 20 pkgs. Toa, and 2 pkgs. Membandise, J. L. Ogilvy.

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Per Goldon Horn, for Salgon, 200 Chinese. TO DEPART. Per Braemar Castle, for Shanghal, 1

Per Charité, for Haiphong, 12 Chinese. Per Justav, for Newchwang, 1 Chinese. Per Quickstep, for Newchwang, 2 Chinese. Per Norna, for Swatow, 200 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Burmese reports: Light winds and fine weather throughout. The British steamer Pernambuco reports Fine weather with light N, and N.E. winds throughout the passage.

The British steamer Antenor reports: Had moderate Northerly winds to Foochow, and had light unsteady winds to Hongkong. Passed S. S. Glenartney 6 miles South of White Dogs on Sept. 20th at noon, and the French and American Mail Steamers off the Brothers on Sept. 21st at8 a.m.

Shipping Intelligence. The following is corrected from the latest. London and Colonial Papers:

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Hongkong, September 21, 1877.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet GAELIO will be despatched on MONDAY, the 1st October, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, and the United States, which will be closed as follows,-2 P.E. Registry of Letters ceases. 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes. 2.30 P.M. Correspondence for Japan, the

United States, or Union Countries only may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 12 cents extra Postage until

2.50 P.M. when the Mail is finally closed. Hongkong, September 21, 1877.

MEMOS, FOR TO-MORROW. RELIGIOUS SERVICES:-

St. John's CATHEDRAL. The Right Reverend Bishop Burdon; The Rev. E. 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, &c.

acting Military Chaplain. At 8 a.m., Hongkong Gool," because we have dealt Morning Prayer, &c.

Afternoon, 6 P.M. St. Peter's Seamen's Church, -Rev. known that that officer has recently offi-J. Benderson. Service at 6 P.M., every cially and publicly expressed himself Sunday. All seats free. Morning Prayer strongly in favour of flogging, and advoand Communion on the First Sunday in each month at 11 a.m.

ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHURCH.-Rev. A. B. Hutchinson, and Rev. Lo Sam (All Services in Chinese.) Morning Prayer :- Litany, Ante-Communion, and Sermon, at 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 3 Presching, at 6.30 P.M. Holy Communion, 1st Sunday in Chinese month.

BERLIN FOUNDLING House. - Service in the German language, by Pastor E. Klitzke, notices, and a long account of the annual every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in meeting of the Westminister Diocesan the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, Education Fund. West Point.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Shipping. 2 p.m. - Chinkiang leaves for Cooktown &c. Goods per Strathairly undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Auction. 2 p.m.-Wine Sale, at Mr Armstrong' Sale Room.

General Memoranda.

TUESDAY, September 25:-Goods per Yang-isi undelivered after Noon, subject to rent and landing charges.

WEDNESDAY, September 26 :-3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, at its Head Office, Hongkong. TRURSDAY, September 27:-

> after this date subject to rent. FRIDAY. September 28:-Noon, -General Weekly Sale by Messes Lane. Crawford & Co.

Goods per Braemar Castle undelivered

this date subject to rent. SATURDAY, September 29:--Noon.—French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

SUNDAY, September 30 :-Application for Shares in the North China Insurance Co. must be made on before this date.

Monday, October 1:-3 p.m.—Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co. Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

FRIDAY, October 8 :--Briskans leaves for Singapore, &c., of or about this date.

SLITURDAY, October 6:-& p.m. Sale of Houses, as the Upper Station Street.

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The publication of this issue commenced 4 7.20 p.m.

DEATH. Died, at Baxter House, Hongkong, on the 21st Instant, at 7.30 p.m., MARY ANN by this Packet, but can be paid only MATILDA, aged 38 years, the beloved Wife as far as Ceylon. The postage to of Mr Thomas Hart, Reporter to the Hongkong "Daily Press."

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, SEPT. 22, 1877.

enumerated. THE first number of the "Hongkong Catholic Register, a fortnightly newspaper, was issued today. Considering that it is printed at the West Point Reformatory the typographical appearance of the Register is really worthy of praise. letters or controversial remarks are to appear in its columns, but the conductors will "occasionally state facts and opinions without direct reference to those whose views and opinions they may be indirectly combatting." The primary objects of the Register are, we gather, to circulate the notices of the services at the Roman Catholic places of worship in the Colony and to place before those of "the Faith here selections from Roman Catholi 29 publications. That, however, the Register has another mission is evident from the following eight lines extracted from the only local item of news with which the reader is favoured-"The event of the week has been, without doubt, the meeting of the Legislative Council, and the speech of H. E. the Governor on crime and prison discipline. It afforded a complete answer to the hostile criticism to which H. E. has been subjected eve since his first visit to the Hongkong Gaol. It is now known that he stopped flogging in consequence of representations from the Colonial Surgeon, which no Governor dare disregard even if he In spite of the motto adopted by the Register - Loquimini veritatem unusquisque cum proximo suo-we at afraid that this, its first statement on local affairs, is an exceedingly questionable truth. We will pass over the statement that Mr Hennessy's speech affords Davys, Acting Colonial Chaplain. At "a complete answer to the hostile criticism to which His Excellency has been Military Service. - Rev. J. Henderson, subjected ever since his first visit to the with that matter elsewhere and on other UNION CHURCH.—Minister, Rev. James | occasions, but to say that the Governor has Morning Service, at 11 A.M. stopped flogging on the representations of the Colonial Surgeon, when it is well cated its extension to less serious offences, is one of the most impudent digressions from the spirit of the motto adopted we have lately encountered.

> A STRIKING illustration is afforded in the Peking Gazette of the 29th August of the extremely awkward contretemps that may occur occasionally by the transmigration of souls. It seems that in the reign of Yao Kwang a certain Thibetan Lama committed some serious crime, and was thereupon stripped of his rank and office by the Emperor, and deprived for ever of "the privilege of successive births into the world." The Lamas, however, declare that he has come back in spite of the Imperial decree, and have petitioned through the Imperial Resident at Lhassa that the child, in which they gay his spirit has been discovered, may be duly recognised. But the Emperor tented themselves with merely returning to had decreed that the Lama should not be re-born, consequently, the spirit in the child must be an impostor. It is ruled accordingly. The Thibetans are, we believe, the people who have adopted the convenient method of praying by machinery.

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the Register, in addition to this remark-

able "item," are an introductory article.

extracts from the Tablet under the head-

ing of "Latest from Rome," Church

conclusively shown in this journal Goods per Venetia, &c, undelivered after Mr Hennewy's statistics as to the state of crime in Hongkong during the last ten years are not worthy of trust. The point is an important one, because Mr excuse for the changes he proposes to inaugurate here, and if it be shown that crime has been satisfactorily held in check of late years, this, in itself, is the of the best possible arguments in favour of letting existing arrangements alone, and not burdening the taxpayers with the "considerable expense" of questionable changes. We shall show presently that Mr Hennessy's statistics may be very fairly turned against the position he has taken, but in the first place we wish to

cepted as trustworthy. The object Mr Hennessy was, it will be remembered, to show that crime has been constantly increasing in the Colony for ten years. In our article on Tuesday we opposed to Mr Hennessy's figures three facts, namely, that Sir Arthur Kennedy had stated in his last report but one that crime in the Colony had decreased one half in three years; that the increased efficiency of the Police would facilitate the detection of crime and consequently swell the returns; and that Sir John Smale had recently officially asserted, - and his statement appeared to be supported by the opinions of most old residents in the Colony-"that a sense of personal security has grown up in the Colony which prior to 1865 did not exist," a statement that would scarcely have been ventured had crime been constantly in The young Japanese nobleman Hachisuka, correspondent, who very clearly pointed out two of the causes which are believed to account for the untrustworthiness of would formerly have been represented as one, and, what is of greater moment, the creation of a large number of new offences by the passing of fresh Ordinances, a number of which our correspondent

We have said that we shall turn Mr Hennessy's statistics against the position he has taken. In the Council Chamber on Monday His Excellency, apparently desirous of convincing the Colony orime has not increased in Hongkong since his arrival, quoted returns to show that on the 17th September last there were only 382 prisoners in the Gaol, against 430 on the corresponding day in last year. Is not this, we ask, an unwitting proof that orime has decreased in the Colony during the last twelve months! That crime has decreased since it has become known among the Chinese that His Excellency is opposed to flogging, and has evinced a tendency to find employment here, at remunerative rates, for convicted and deported felons, is a question on which it is useless to appeal to the prison statistics of the past year for a settlement. We hear that the Gaol is at the present moment filling, and the extended police reports that have appeared in this journal lately appear to support the statement. Then again, taking it for granted for a moment for the sake of argument that orime has been increasing in the Colony during the last ten years, this increase must be the result of the adoption into the administration of such principles as Mr Hennessy favours. Ten years ago, when, according to Mr Hennessy, crime was so much less than flogging gradually decreased in severity, and mercy and consideration gradually crept into the administration of justice, crime, according to Mr Hennessy's statistics, gradually increased! Crime, however, has not increased in the Colony. Thanks to the increased efficiency of the Police, a better organised administration, settled times, and improved relations with the Chinese both here and on the mainland, crime has been as steadily and as surely decreasing in the Colony as Mr Hennessy would prove it to have in-

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE price of salt has probably reached its highest at the present moment, a dollar being enough to buy only about 120 catties, and it is said the price is even much higher | the Captain and Chief Officer of the steamer in Macao, where a dollar is the equivalent were, as they should be, very highly appreof about 80 catties. This is owing to the unusually stringent measures being adopted by the Salt Commissioner to enforce the laws of taxing salt, and we are told that recently a new office has been opened Cap-sui-moon where salt is taxed. Severa speculators have attempted to import salt from Annam, where it can be purchased at offered to return a portion (£10) of the the rate of about 1000 catties for a dollar. but considering the great outlay which conveyance in foreign bottoms entails, the operation has not been successful. Customs Blockade is beginning now to tell back. on even articles of necessity.

therein, but they endeavour to find pastures new for the field of their operations. We are informed that some few nights ago, a very daring attack was made by a band of armed burglars on some shops at Chinese Kowloong, where the inhabitants turned out WE think it has now been fairly and to resist, and four of them were killed on the spot and others placed hors de combat. We are not told the value of the property carried away, but it must have been something considerable. In a proclamation re- Anna affair, and finally that he was about Hennessy bases on these statistics his cently issued by the Commandant at Kow- to proceed to St. Petersburg. The "halfloong, he admits that robberies have of late become more frequent than formerly in vil- be simply that Li, the Chinese official who, lages within his jurisdiction, and rewards for the apprehension of the offenders, to Europe with some naval cadets, had been either principals or accessories. arrest of each of the former, is offered of \$20, and for the latter \$10 some little excuse for the error which has each. The proclamation does not, however, acquainted with the subtleties of Chinese indicate that the robberies were of a seri- nomenclature the name of Liu,-that of briedy receptibilists the main teasure why should have found it necessary to stimulate political to Berlin-is not altogether unlike

His Excellency's figures cannot be ac- | his soldiery to greater efforts to keep the peace, and it is all the more strange that he finds crime more rampant so soon after Mr Hennessy's merciful and reforming policy has been adopted here. The theory, therefore, is that the old offenders have been emboldened to come back here, and finding the Police still too efficient for them to commit any great depredations, they have gone over to the Peninsula opposite to test their strength on the weaker points. It is asserted that robberies have been more frequent even at British Kowloong than hitherto. We should like very much to know whether this assertion is true or But the enforced reticence of the Police renders accurate information impossible.

creasing here. Our remarks were ably about whose recent admission to the Athensupplemented on the following day by a | mum Club in London certain members of that ineffable institution made such an unseemly fuss, is the ex-daimio of Awa, in Slkoku, one of the great kokushi, or chief provincial lords, in the former feudal times, the Governor's statistics. One is the and the sixteenth in order of pecuniary change in the method of preparing the revenue, having been in annual receipt, as police returns, a case in which say half a master of his domains, of over two hundred dozen defendants are concerned now ap- and fifty thousand koku of rice. He still pearing as six on the returns whereas it possesses an income superior to that of the average British peer, and although his patent of nobility is recent for Japan, dating back only three hundred years, it is ancient enough when placed beside all but a few of the time-honored Auglo Saxon houses. Perhaps the highly romantic origin of the Awa family was distasteful to the sensibilities of the Athenaum corps. But t is not so very many centuries since the vocation of freebooter was in Europe the natural course by which dignity and power could be obtained. Whatever possessed Hachienka to want to get into the club, it is not very easy to conceive; but if he had been rejected it probably would not have deeply affected his spirits or impaired his own sense of the just title of an heir to a historical Japanese name to mingle on equal terms with the best society that the western world can produce.

CHINA AFFAIRS AT HOME. (From our own Correspondent.)

London, Aug. 3rd, 1877. Your readers will assuredly be very "surprised to hear" that, after Sir Thomas Wade has slowly waded through his memorandum, the Government here have decided to refer it to the Indian Government and say they cannot decide upon the question of the ratification of the Chefoo Convention until they have the opinion sought from India. This unexpected delay ought to be sufficient to calm down the enthusiasm of those most disposed to take exception to this instrument. It will evidently be perfeetly useless to raise any objection whatever to the terms upon which the Margary affair has been settled, as by this time people at present, flogging was carried out far bere have almost forgotten that any such more vigorously and justice was temper- difficulty ever arose, and the Chefoo Coned with far less mercy than now. As vention, which was originally a settlement of that affair, has been gradually transformed into a merely commercial instrument. The

Chinese have certainly worked this very adroitly, but whether this has been the case on our side as well is at least open to question. The Chefoo Convention in fact seems to have ratified itself. At least he would be a bold Minister here who would disturb it in its main bearings after so long a time as has been allowed to allp away has Yesterday, I was on board the steamer

Glenartney when the testimonial was presented to Capt. Gulland and his Chief Officer by the Representative of the Messageries Maritimes Co., Mr. Geo. Brenier, who will be recollected as agent for the Company in Ohina. The speeches made on the occasion were evidently something more than the merely complimentary remarks ordinarily passed; and they showed that the action of

The daily papers contain what is here very rare and with you so frequent, the report of the appearance of a Chinaman in one of the Courts. It seems that at the Home for sailors somewhere far down in the East end, one Celestial thought he had been robbed by another, but the case was not proved, it seeming that the money had been lost in cards. The defendant generously money in dispute, after he was acquitted. It would seem Chinamen here are more generous than in their own country. There is no doubt that the second envoy

here, Liu, is going to Germany to represent China. This was rumoured some time

An attempt has again been made to get up an interest in the question of coolies in Onba, but it seems little likely to be suc-Ban characters do not seem to have con- cossful.

> London, September 17th, 1877. The daily papers in London are pretty well celebrated for making a blunder about matters relating to China, whenever a fair opportunity of doing so presents itself: but within the last few days one of the most magnificent mixtures of fiction and fact, which has appeared even here, found its way into the Daily News, and was thence copied into the evening papers, which were followed by some more of the morning sheets. Nothing less than a Special Chinese Ambassador was uncarthed at Berlin. Telegrams duly announced that he had arrived, that he had important diplomatic matters to settle in connection with the penny worth of bread" to this "intoler. able amount of sack" turned out at last to offers you may recollect, came some months back For the thinking of making a visit to St. Petersburg a reward on his own account. There is as it happens the second Chinese Minister here who has, as your readers are aware, actually been ap-

well posted up. the intelligence was not unexpected, as it till Thursday next. was thought that from the first the purchase of the line was really only the prelude to shutting it up. But it seems really nothing less than ridiculous to keep the line open just long enough to let people see very clearly that there are no insuperable difficulties in the way of railways in China, and that they are likely to be popular with the people at large, and then arbitrarily to put down the first attempt which has been made to introduce them. This action will the course of policy of our new Governor, not tend very much to improve the chances of placing the Chinese loan which has recently been concluded upon the market arrive here by the end of October. From here, as is understood to be under contem- all accounts, Sir William is a cautious man plation; as certainly the credit of China must depend upon her taking some steps to develop the country and after the severe Downing Street, and, as our late Governor experience which they have had of other regeneratable countries, financiers will not be disposed to lend money to a nation per- traces, the change will be a relief to the sistently determined to resist all changes mind of Lord Carnarvon. The Administraon her effete and antiquated regime.

Japan has been published in Blue Book one comes to look at the matter with a nonform by Mr Mounsey, the Secretary to our Legation at Yedo. It represents the state of affairs as much better than has been these important Settlements, to which are Information is based mainly upon statements from the Second Finance Minister, who ought of course to be the best authority; third Governor we have had within the last but Japanese official statements have lost four years. How on earth is it possible for much weight since the misrepresentations with regard to the news of the rebellion

have become known. The Great Northern Telegraph Company have published their statement at Copenhagen for the half year ending the 30th June. It is generally looked upon as fair basis he is drafted away to fresh fields. favourable and a good dividend is antici- Such was the case with Sir Andrew Clarke,

pated. The silk market still continues in a marvellously depressed state. People are quite Jervois. But it would appear mercantile unable to account for it as all the "figures" of affairs, the supplies both in China and right." Japan and from the Continent being far below that of average years. The real cause of the depression is, no doubt, the general stagnation of trade-" things being bad"-and people consequently but little disposed to spend money in articles of luxury. There can be no general revival of trade until affairs on the continent are more settled, and the prospect of this unfortunately appears somewhat distant.

Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. C. May.) 22nd September, 1877.

"NO SAVEY ME?"

Lo Achu, a servant, was charged by P. C. Mahomed Jan, No. 523, with creating a disturbance in front of the Po Lok Theatre. A row was going on inside when the watchman called the Policeman in to disperse the assemblage outside. The defendant was told to go away, upon which he gaid to the Constable "you no savey me you no savey me?" But he was told to go away again, when he said "I wili The Constable replied summon you." "do so, but go away." The defendant thereupon took hold of him by the coat and wanted to take his number. As he continued to be noisy, the Constable took him to the Station. The detendant said he was leaving the Theatre when he was struck by the Constable without any cause whatever. Fined 50 cents.

NO PASS. Pang Ajuk and Lee Ashing were brought up for being out without passes. The 1st defendant offered 70 cents to the Constable to release him. Fined \$1 and 10 cents respectively; the 70 cents offered as bribe forfeited to the Poor Box.

A DISOBEDIENT SERVANT.

at 7 p.m. The defendant got angry, pulled him out of the room and struck him. Fined \$8.

LARCENY. Inspector applied for a remand. Remanded till the 25th inst.

LARCENY.

invited to pay her a visit. The defendant | member. did so and remained in the house of the see her the day before yesterday; com. donable burgling displayed upon the esta- The owner of the uncommon pug by no plainant taned her with the theft, but she blishment of the sub-post office, for which means board to bad a character. There is

reading of his doings in Berlin. I under- left, and meantime a friend of the comstand that the Envoys here take great plainant came, and the complainant told interest in the public papers and seem to her of the loss. She at once said that she be fully alive to the important influence went up to Canton with the defendant the which they exert. Steps are of course other day and saw her pawn two gold coins taken to keep them au courant with all that and other things at a pawnshop at Canton. goes on "in their field," and I have no The defendant came yesterday in pursuance eyo is sometimes relieved by the sight of the doubt that the magnates of the Taungle of appointment. The complainant charged Yamen are in consequence also kept very her with the robbery. She denied it at stranger landing here might imagine him-

Singapore

(From our own Correspondent). Singapore, 15th Sept., 1877.

Our chronic dulness in this neglected Colony of 'acting' officials is relieved for the nonce by speculations as to what will be who steadily adheres to instructions from An elaborate paper upon the finances of tor, naturally, rests and is thankful. When official eye it seems like gross neglect of Malayan Peninsula, that the present is the the Native States, under, at least, a year, and when one has established himself on a and has been the case with Sir William Colonies are made for officials, not officials

The London & China Express, I notice, has referred to a grievance under which we labour here, the acting appointment of offioials without the slightest consideration as to their capacity for their offices. With the exception of the Colonial Secretary, every office here is now filled by others than their owners. The Treasury has appropriated to itself our Post-Master General, whose wellknown frugality happily enables him to balance his own cash successfully, a difficult operation generally; but in what other respects his brilliance may display itself I am unable to divine. Then a gentleman whose talents seem to be universal fills the Post-Master General's place, though I believe, except in the ordinary labour of posting a Colonial Secretary, who is a host in himself, and must be spoken of "with bated breath, while the Public Works Department, including the erection of our Water Works-a Heroulean task which has taken 20 years to accomplish-is delegated to the tender mercies of a junior whose early mission was the sea. True welliave a fixture in the person of the Colonial Secretary, who is worth the whole lot put together, who is the double-distilled essence of a gentleman, a scholar, and an able man to boot. Coming from the good old stock of the Douglases, having had the advantage of a University (Oxford) education, and blest with common sense, we have an official prize not easily obtainable, and we shall all regret to lose him when he will be taken from us, as he is sure to be, to fill some Governorship. In the line of fixtures, though, I forgot to mention the Master Attendant, whose civility is of world-wide repute; I almost wish I could mention him in the

category of the acting officials too. The Colonial Secretary, who has lately Watts wrotebeen to Perak and published his journal of his visit in the Straits Times, has made public a piece of information which has created Nozeologists have a different idea a sensation among us. Five chiefs of the great apostle, Mr Sloane, thought that the Malayan States, were, at the suggestion of nose is the true needle to point to the load-Wong Awai, a servant, was charged by Sir William Jervois, to have received five stone of heart and mind alike. It is the do you know that I am one of the people his master Mr John Kennedy, the pro- handsome swords suitably inscribed as a gift | most prominent outcome of the inner naprietor of a Livery stable, with disobedience from Her Majesty in consideration of the ture. It attaches to itself all the mental of orders. About 7 p.m. on the 21st he friendliness and good faith shown to the superiority of the human cosmogony. called the defendant to arrange table for Government during the disturbances in the dinner when the defendant refused to come, Peninsula, after the murder of Mr Birch. | shades of difference are multifatious, even although he was told to do so three times. — The swords had arrived here when, lo, and | in noses with a like general outline. These The defendant said he had scarcely finished | behold, it was discovered that most, if not | differences are perceptible, yet in many his dinner when the complainant called him | all, of these chiefs were concerned in a plot | cases so faintly so that one would almost to arrange table. He replied it was not the to assassinate Sir William Jervois when he need to go into logarithms to estimate proper time to do so yet, and that he would | visited the States. The details, indeed, | precisely. The contour of the face affects do it at 6.80, so as to be ready for dinner | were arranged, the very spears were in | noses greatly, and a like pattern of nose on readiness for the deed; and it was only ow- a fair man presents a difference of aping to the faint-heartedness of Sultan Ab- | pearance upon a dark; and on fair and dark dullah, who at the last moment failed alike the weather, worry or sickness makes to give the necessary sign raising his a wonderful alteration. Into the minution hand to his head, that this dastardly of noses, however, there is little need to Wong Ashik, a bricklayer, was charged act had not been committed. What will enter, as most observers can take stock of by Inspector Grey with having stolen on our humanitarian friends who would asthe 20th September inst. certain articles of sist "Mrs Jellyby" in her holy mission types. As the study progresses the types wearing apparel from the dwelling house of of providing blankets for the "Borrioboola can be divided and subdivided according to Mr Hyndman, No. 10 Wyndham Street, blacks" say to this piece of amiable friend- the keenness of the observations of the the property of the servants of that gentle- ship and hospitality, I wonder. Alas! the reader. The generic order of noses is here man. The prisoner was further charged | poor native is hardly dealt with. Perhaps | put thus :with stealing two pocket handkerchiefs Bir George Campbell or Sir Charles Dilke from the same premises this morning. The | will bewail the hard treatment to which these valiant Chiefs have been subjected in not having got their swords from the Queen. While upon this by the way, I may mention that it was Mr Plunket, your present Regis-Ho Asam, a widow, was charged by trar, who gleaned the whole of the informa-Leong Akol, a woman of easy virtue, with tion which has brightened us up in our feature in the face, especially if the upward stealing a quantity of jewellery and clothing | knowledge of many of the treacheries of the from her. On the 81st August or 1st Sep. Perak Sultans and Chiefs, on the occasion of tember, the complainant went to visit a a commission which sat in Perak to inquire the forehead. There are pug noses, capefriend of hers at the Mosque, in whose into the circumstances of Mr Birch's mur- cially in Irishmen, if not too much elevated house she met the defendant, whom she der, and of which he was the principal skyward, which are not without humour if

The 'Celestials' are now pouring in here blue or light grey eyes; but if the "diahost for several days. On the 6th instant, in shoals, and they are welcome. There is monds" at each side are not expressive, the complainant wanted to go to Canton plenty of demand for labour, and by and bye the pug nose is almost next to repulsive. and went on board the steamer with the when enterprising "pioneers" shall have As a rule, from a pug nose supplementary defendant, but as it was blowing hard that established themselves in Perak, and the to an opaque face, the writer instinctively day, the steamer did not leave the wharf other native states, the resources of which recoils. The owner of the common pug is at the regular time. The complainant are considerable, the Chinese coolies will be seldom a brilliant individual, but if he came ashore again and asked the defend- a great acquisition. The Protectors of Chi- happens to possess talents it may almost be ant to return to her house as well. She nese, however, seem to be doing nothing; accepted as an axiom that he is overbearreplied that she would not, but that she the bill for the protection of Immigrants has ing. Not unfrequently he is laborious, would go to see some friends of hers. They become law, but I believe the Government anxious to learn, but rarely can get further then parted company, but on looking into do not like to enforce it. The fact is there than an inconsequential sneer. The comher wardrobe, the complainant found that is a wholesome horror here of hastily put- mon pug has something like the ferocity of she had lost a quantity of clothing and ting into force fresh measures in any way the bull-dog about it, with the vacillating lewellery. The defendant came back to affecting the Chinese, and since the unpare mature of the pug in the came species.

Singapore has almost lost its identity as an English settlement: were it not that the

of the intended closing of the Woosung plainant then reported to the Police and successfully upon the domains of trade rises above medicarity (the man owner of railway by the Chinese officials. To some had her taken into custody. Remanded which Europeans fondly imagined would be understood), and establishment in the navy of a certain number | dent, with a will. Very heavy fighting is perty is in their hands, and when any lease gaudy jewels. The uncommon Roman cers. The lieutenants will be selected from falls in, the property is at once bought up, nose is altogether of a different callbre. amongst officers who have completed a year's No news has been received to confirm the sometimes at immense prices, and appropri- There is a something about it which must service at sea, and have passed through a ated to the erection of Chinese shop-houses. assert itself if culture has been added to the course of instruction at the Royal Naval Plevna. It is stated that a Russian detach-With this view hotels are threatened, and proboscis. It is a kind of nose which College. They will then undergo a thorough ment, with artillery, which attempted to that lucrative form of investment must give | overcomes all opposition, which has enabled would find to his horror that our most fashionable Belgravian localities are becoming either Chinese streets or being "requisitioned" as Chinese burial grounds. Lord Sir William Robinson, who is expected to | Macaulay was wrong; it will be "Ah Sin," adorned with a pig-tail and a billy-cock, who will 'squat' upon London Bridge and gloat over the ruins of St. Pauls.

Coroners' inquests are queer institutions. When the celebrated Bravo case first attract- trious of warriors in times ancient or was sometimes disposed to kick over the of abolishing them. Here I think they are nose, By this nose he conquered Napo- course of instruction in the manufacture of From The Daily Telegraph, Aug. 13.—At. ed attention there was some talk in England | modern, had a strikingly remarkable Roman necessary; but the verdicts which they leon, and in that nose saved Britain from torpedoes. Chinaman here, in a high position, had the | ever have such a nose in emergencies," and weakness to quarrel with his mistress; she so on, "cheeked" him, it appears, as much as Betsey did Artemus Ward, and he comasked that they should be separated. The for eight or nine days afterwards. The swallowed under protest. been in custody and been charged before the in agriculture." Police. If the Jury returned the verdict

> Singapore are sometimes intractable. What is H. E. Mr Pope Hennessy doing in Hongkong to put all your backs up? I sure advance of Mr Hennessy, then member, | disputed. I think, for King's County, in the estimation of his party and in fact of the whole House. Polish lady, both in and out of Poland. depend upon it, dishonesty of purpose is not among them. I have read of him being called a 'pet' of Mr Disraeli's, but Mr Disraeli was not accustomed to make pets even -among his own party unless they displayed more than ordinary ability. I sincerely trust you and he will get on well together.

"LOOK TO YOUR NOSE."

(Graphic.) This is a very common expression, but there is more in it than at first meets the eye. Noseology is a neglected science. Dr

"The mind's the standard of the man."

The varieties of noses are legion—the them after a description of the four generic

1. The Pug. 2. The Roman. 8. The Grecian.

4. The Grecian, or Composite Order. The pug nose, pur at simple, it will readily be admitted by all-except, perhaps, its possessor—is by no means an attractive curve starts about a third of the distance from whence the organ is eliminated from they happen to be set off with twinkling

together. That gentleman is still quietly to come again the following day as she had cd, there exists a constant dread of a repetiin London and must have been amused at something important to say to her. She tion of the riot which hailed the advent of is a combination between a prizefighter and other means to no purpose for a long strength of Osman Pasha's entrenched should barracoons rear their heads here. against the grain to declare that "no one and it was deposited in the vestry to await The leading Chinese know well how to with an uncommon pug nose could be further steps which he will take. work their cards and how to dupe the coolies. either a sculptor, a poet, or a painter." Recent history has told us very differently.

The common Roman nose is held in little repute by those who are attempting to gold tassel round an official's hat-band, a revive this unhappily neglected science of noseology. From the bridge it is rounded self in Pekin or some other large Chinese off to the tip. If not strongly marked Great disappointment is felt here among pawntickets and said they were for some of city. The Celestials not only 'squat' all after the fashion of the late Iron Duke, the the things she stole from her. The com- over the Island, but have encroached most mind is not of the highest order, it barely ago?"

return are sometimes extraordinary. A becoming a province of France. May she

The Gecian note, straighter than the Roman, lacks the flery energy. It is more plained to the Police of her conduct and | characteristic of amiability and refinement. It indicates passion, too, but its real passion generally supposed to be the case. The now virtually attached the whole of the police did not see their way to assist him so means not the sword or the spear, but the his way sorrowing. On the next day the Byron fought and died for that nose, yet woman died, a fact which was not discovered | still the cup of Samian wine needs to be

the Superintendent and Inspector of Police are other noses not so bad as the pug, nor having unlawfully damaged "an article armies in Armenia being also on the march, to master the complicated arrangements with having given evidence, the fact of the so valiant as the Roman, nor quite so called a confessional box? in the parish there is literally no news from the seat of complaint made to them and their advice, refined as the Greelan, but possessing in a church of St. James's, Hatcham. On the war. The organs of the Austrian Governand the doctor having stated that the mixed degree the best qualities of all, left apparently safe about nine o'clock, but occupation of Bosnia and the Herzegovina woman in his opinion died from the guided by a wise discretion. This in left apparently safe about nine o'clock, but occupation of Bosnia and the Herzegovina effects of sulphate of copper, which he noseology is called the Composite nose, and at eleven a police-constable heard a noise in by Austria has been abandoned; and the found in large quantities in the stomach, it is the sort that is generally met with in the church, and knocked at the door. It popular expression of feeling in Hungary the Jury returned a verdict of wilful murder | the streets. It should run in a direct | was opened by the defendant, and he saw on behalf of the integrity of the Ottoman against some person or persons unknown. angle," we are told, from the forehead, several tools lying about, which the prisoner | Empire is supposed to have brought about There was not a particle of evidence brought should be straight, regular, and of a good said belonged to him, and he also noticed forward to show that the woman might not size. "Facts prove and circumstances that the confessional had been chopped and herself have taken the poison, and the ver- confirm that this order is suited for attain- broken to pieces. The defendant said that -Telegrams from our correspondents anare calculated to lead to an opposite state for mercantile Colonies—" Whatever is, is dict could in no way have assisted the ends ingeminence in any of the arts and sciences,

> certain amount of jollity about it which In cross-examination he said the confessional khtar Pasha telegraphs to Constantinople owing to the circumstances of the woman's not by any means comely, but there is a it should have been against him or an open even Sir Wilfrid Lawson could scarcely fail box was not popular with the parishioners, news of fresh reverses said to have been verdict returned. But then, Juries even in to appreciate in presence of the owner. It and that as persons passed in after the suffered by the Russians in Asia. The bespeaks sack more than solids.

> argued that the flatness of the nose indicates "shook it up" as they left the church, and Imperial Guard will not be so complete as natorial career, but my duties often took flatness of mind, and that no nation of flat before July 13 it was in a very dilapidated was at first announced. me to the House of Commons some years notes have ever made their way upon the condition. Upon one occasion the organist From The Daily Express, Aug. 16.—The ago, I am afraid to say how many, and I earth. So far as what we understand by went into the confessional to see what sort

that hooked nose behind which is set the and he did not see any difference from what respects there seems to be no further move keen eye belongs to the race of the Father it had been previously. The jury here in the European campaign. It appears fore. Then we have an Acting Assistant Irish eloquence when descanting, most ably of the Faithful—that race which, enduring interposed, and said that after this evidence General Gourko holds the Schinks mass and most henestly, upon the wrongs of much contumely and cruel persecution they did not want to hear any more of the General Gourko holds the Schipka pass, Poland, eloquence which won for him the through long centuries, persevered through loase, and were prepared to give a verdict of friendship of his chief and the respect of all its toils, trials, and shocking sufferings every lover of liberty in Europe. So much in accumulating that powerful agency churchwarden, was, however, called, and he were his labours appreciated that he received | called lucre to such an amount that an address of hearty thanks signed by every it may almost safely be said to rule the world. Sloane has a wonderful apprecia-Whatever faults Mr Hennessy may have; I tion of this nose. He is more eloquent ab ut it than of any of the others, taking it from a pecuniary stand-point. He asks where are the Pharaohs, and then says, "That nose which toiled and strained under the whip of a task-master still exists in all its hooked rotundity, as large and as well defined as ever, whilst the nasal organ of the oppressor has vanished, and nowhere exists save in the remains of its sculpture."

> LONDON GOSSIP. LONDON, Aug. 17th.

school?" "I knows you are, old chap, if train." you find them in the streets; but this here if you interferes with my liberty, the Duke

the hact as well as you." Sir Henry Thompson has hit on a new method of spending his holiday. He has had constructed a house-heat, charmingly fitted and furnished; and in it, accompanied by his accomplished daughter, he is about to start on a sketching tour on the Thames. A few days ago a marriage was celebrated St. Augustine's Church, Shaw Street, Liverpool, and as a part of the preparations, Mr William Stevenson, upholsterer, received orders from the bride's mother to lay down a roll of crimson baize from the door of the church along the aisle to the place where the day were to take place. After the Stock Exchange.

ceremony (says the Leeds Mercury) Mr Stevenson went to pick up his crimson cloth from the siels with the view of carrying it away. He succeeded in getting it into a roll, which he shouldered, and had got the length of the door when he was suddenly sloth and told him to leave it in the church The owner naturally asked the reason of this stoppage, and the answer was to the outside the sacred edifice. The "tug" took | ed its intention to proceed with the fortiplace just at the door of the church, and a fications of Gallipoli. large crowd of people soon gathered to

Heard at Deauville, a stone's throw from Trouville. Two pretty French actresses are busily engaged in studying a war map, and looking for the most celebrated places. "Moscow," says one of the two, "I can't stupid," replies the other. "Don't you

course of training in the special torpedo ship burn Mentane, was repulsed with a loss of way to the new order of things. If an old men to conquer mortal achievements—"to at Portsmouth, and, on examination, will be twenty-five killed. The Turks are engaged inhabitant were to return among us, he mould the world to their will." Notably granted certificates of the first or second in completing the fortifications of Gallipoli. to use Sloane's words in our own century, class, according to their fitness. Torpedo It is also stated that an attack upon Yalllak Napoleon and Wellington were in the pos- lieutenants will be appointed to all flag ships has also been repulsed by the Turks. A session of such noses. "Napoleon knew on foreign stations, and to such other ships denial is given to the rumours that Servis the secrets of nessology, he knew what as may be deemed advisable. They will be was preparing to enter into the war. From advantages there were in a good Roman granted extra pay while so employed. Tor- Asia we learn that Ismail Pasha has crossed nose. He selected his generals, and put pedo instructors will be chosen from the pre- into Russian territory, and that General them into places of trust and confidence by sent torpedo men of the fleet, and will, when Tergukasoff has retired still further. The the length and height of their noses. The qualified, be advanced to the same relative Turks also claim a success in a late skir-Duke of Wellington, one of the most illus- position as gunnery instructors. Torpedo mish, when they seized 2,000 sheep and 140 artificers will be selected from the armourers | horses. A despatch from Alexandropol to of the fleet, and will be put through a special some extent confirms the above.

> The Baroness Burdett-Coutts has a box at of the Balkans is to be abandoned for this the Lycenm by the season, for which she year; and it is rumoured that Osman pays three hundred guineas, and whenever Pasha has decided to evacuate his position at Mr Irving has a benefit, this munificent lady Plevna, with a view to taking up others of sends him a purse offifty guineas. Prince Tokoungawa, the son of the ported to have recrossed the Balkans with dethroned Tycoon of Japan, is to be our

next visitor. He is at present studying Western civilisation in Paris.

of justice, because the Chinaman had already in the senate, or the bar, in commerce or he denied having done any injury to the Suleiman Pasha is proceeding across the confessional. Campbell, the verger of the Balkaus. Mehemet Ali Pasha is also The toper's nose speaks for itself. It is church, was called to prove that he had left moving forward, and has been victorious in it apparently safe on the night in question. some minor engagements. Ahmed Mou-Flat noses are held in less esteem by He noticed that sometimes as many as a scale than was anticipated. A Reuter's noseologists than any other pattern. It is hundred or a hundred and fifty persons telegram says that the movement of the then watched with interest the steady but civilisation this idea cannot be satisfactorily of a place it was, and the seat gave way and bombard Rustchuk, and on the other hand, he fell down "all of a heap." He said that the Turks, by way of reply, have com-It needs no ghost from the grave to tell he saw the confessional box after July 13, menced bombarding Glurgevo. In other in a dilapidated condition prior to July 13. it was now very much more injured, in fact, it was all in pieces, and he should say that damage to the extent of 101. had been done to it. In answer to a question put by the learned Commissioner, Mr Webb said that he was responsible for the prosecution as churchwarden, but he had nothing more to do with it, and the Commissioner suggested to him that, after what had occurred, it would be better to withdraw from the prosecution. This was consented to, and the

jury returned a verdict of "Not guilty," and the defendant was discharged. After the marriage ceremony of the Lady Mayoress, as the happy pair left the cathedral, the bride's train was borne by Not long ago an officer of the London two children; but, somehow, it escaped from School Board was crossing Covent Garden their hands, and the bride hastily caught it Market at a late hour, when he found a up over her arm, and carried it with safety little fellow making his bed for the night in into the carriage. This was too much for a fruit basket. "Would you not like to go an old lady, who indignantly observed, to school and be well cared for?" asked the "She thinks more of her train than of her official. "No," replied the urchin. "But husband." A precocious youth standing by turned round to the irate lady, and remarkwho are authorised to take up little boys ed. "Quite right, too. I dere say her whom I find as I find you, and take them to husband will often neglect her to catch his

Punch gives the following instance of is not a street. It is private property; and "catching a Tartar:"-Governess: "Do you know. Ernest, that I heard of a little of Bedford will be down upon you. I knows boy not older than you who can read and write well, and who has begun Latin---Ernest: "Oh, I say, what a jolly good teacher he must have l'

The following impromptu was found at the back of a bill at one of the West-End clubs last week:-

I backs my bill-for these "pertadies" Arn't fit for pigs, nor even ladies. If he would eat but just a leetle, They'd kill the Colorado beetle. The member who wrote them is, I under-

stand, to be summoned before the committee to applogise for the second line, and quite | Discounts right, too. It will never do to allow Club the important and interesting proceedings of manners to degenerate to the level of

DIARY OF THE WAR.

From The Standard, Aug. 10 .- Rumours have reached Constantinople of a new conpulled up by the sexton, who seized the flict at Plevna, commenced by the Russians, and resulting in a new defeat of the inc vaders. In more detail the Porte has heard from Osman Pasha of an attack upon effect that the cloth having been brought | Loftcha by the Russians, which was repulsinto the church and used there, had been ed; and Mehemet Ali telegraphs information made holy according to his theory, and of a smaller engagement, in which also the having thus been consecrated; could not Turks were successful. The Ports has again be removed without an act of szorilege | issued, through its Foreign Office, a long being committed. An ecclesiastical "tug indictment against the Russians for further /7 of war" then began between the representatioutrages, and some horrible details are tive of the church militant and the rightful given. The Grand Duke Nicholas has inowner of the goods. Each managed to selve timated that orders have been given to the the baize a few yards spart, and began soldiers to respect the red creatent, the pulling it with might and main—the sexton | badge of the Turkish ambulance and hosto get it inside, and Mr Stevenson to get it | pital department. The Porte has announce-

From The Daily Telegraph, Aug. 11 .-witness the novel confest of Right v. Might. Down to last night no confirmation had The people cheered and laughed; some cried | been received at Constantinople of the Bhame !" but meanwhile the two combst- rumour of a fresh Turkish victory at ants continued to pull with all their Plevna. The fighting was reported to be strength, until it became evident that very still going on. It is supposed that the soon there would be nothing but shreds and Russian force numbers about \$0,000 | the

Id, and the two may have been mixed up | denied it. The complainant then told her | the then Post-Master General is to be thank- | something more intellectual about him, | patches left to fight about. Mr Stevenson, | numerical superiority of the Russians is, which the Turks were successful, took place near that fortress on Thursday. An officer named Ibrihim, attacked the Russians, who had seventeen companies of infantry, a thousand horse, and three guns. The Russians were thoroughly beaten, and find Moscow. How provoking!" "You driven off the field in disorder. Great activity is being manifested in the neighknow Moscow was burned half a century bourhood of Rasgrad by the Turks, who, confident in their powers, and hopeful of Her Majesty in Council has sanctioned the success, are working, sa's our correspon-

Mr Irving is fortunate in his friendships. to believe that the Russian campaign south greater strength. General Gourko is reall his forces.

From The Standard, Aug. 14.—Excepting from the statement through Reuters At the Central Court, on Aug. 10, John | agency, that Suleiman Pasha is taking the Elliott surrendered to take his trial, before | offensive, and marching through the Balk-But it is a comfort to think that there Mr Commissioner Kerr, for misdemeanour in ans, and a similarly brief intimation of the

From The Morning Advertiser, Aug. 18.

forces in Bulgaria, and it is by no means probable that the Turks have made any attempt to dislodge the Russians from any of the positions held by the latter. In Asia there is little movement, but the Russlans seem to be there on the advan e, though they are conducting their movements with a caution which, no doubt, has been taught them by their former checks. It is possible that the Turks may learn that they have withdrawn too many troops to defend Adrianople.

Quotations.

Hongkong, September 22, 1877. OPIUM.—New Patns, cash....\$590 Old Patns, cash,... 590 New Benares, cash, 5772 oredit. --Old Benares, cash, 570 New Malwa, cash, gredit, 615 Taels, 8 a 82 Allowance Old Malva, cash, credit. 615 Taels, 8 a 32 Allowance QUICKSILVER, Exchange.

Bank, on demand, 8/10203/101 80 days' sight, ... 3/10gu8/10\f 6 months' sight, ... 3/11 68/11 Credits, ,, Documentary, 6 months' alght, .. 9/11g Bombay, demand Rupees, ... 220 Oa ontta, Shanghai, demand, 721 a 724 30 days 78% a 78% Bar Silver, 17, dwts. B., Mexicans, Gold Leaf, English Sovereigns, Australian Sovereigns, ... 8.19 Shares.

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Portfolio.

NINETEENTH CENTURY IMPROVEMENTS. BY EMILY ROGERS.

Friends? Where's the mortal who's got one Who owns to a treasure so rare? The race is extinct—there is not one— They've long ago vanished in air. Old friends of the past are succeeded By acquaintances, true, by the score; But they don't supply quite what is needed, And I'm tempted to own are a bore. True friends and good neighbours existed Some centuries back, I dare say; But materials of which they consisted Are quite out of fashion to-day.

Hearts? I've a dim recollection Of having once read of such things; But relinquished for gold, by election, They happily found themselves wings. So, in spite of the dictates of Cupid, Who argued the point, but in vain, We ignore them as useless and stupid, And mortals who have them insane. Thank heaven, however, such madness Is now not so frequently seen. And we own with a triumphant gladness That for years such a case has not been.

Truth? Why it's just a delusion Which posts and fools talk about, But 'twere wiser to make no allusion To that whose existence I doubt; Or at any rate, taking for granted There once was a fragment on earth, It never took root, being planted Without due regard to its worth. And I think, and none seem to doubt it, At the present enlivening age, That they get on much better without it Who its services never engage.

Nature? She's long since been banished,— We didn't approve of her plans, And now every trace of her's vanished-Her reign is succeeded by man's. I fear our improvements are flying A little too far and too fast; Indeed, I expect we'll be trying To improve upon Heaven at last! Improvement, once free, who shall bind her? Where will she her arrows not east? And nature once lost who shall find her. Or call back the old-fashioned past? -From "The Ivy Wreath."

CULTURE.

*It has become fashionable to be cultivated, and hence comes the din of culture | in tale and legends and romance. that forever fills our ears; yet the harm coming from its commonness is not merely the nocial blight it causes, but the fact that It gives rise to mistaken notions about what culture is. Encouragement is given to the notion that culture need be but skin-deep that it is an accomplishment like dancing or wood carving and not the serious education of a good part" of the mind. It is really a development of what runs great zick of being neglected; it is the rounding of the whole man; by it life is breathed into what would otherwise be unused members, the individuality is enlarged and strengthened by forming new sympathies and by acquiring new means of enjoyment This enjoyment must certainly lie in real appreciation of what is good and admirable, and not in the consciousness of the speaker that he, or it may be she, is uttering the opinion with which every one will soon be agreeing. To take an example, the exchange of enthusiastic comments on the profundity of certain forms of musical expression is but a frield pleasure in comparison with real enjoyment of the music; not that the two are incongruous, but sometimes perhaps the rapture is expressed more strongly than it is felt. An ardent heart will not rest satisfied with the knowledge that the Belvedere Appollo and the Laocoon are fine statues, but that in the present century excessive admiration of them is a mark of faulty training; nor yet he contented with pitying reference to Sir Walter Scott as a harmless, kindly old man with a craze for writing unreadable novels. The aim of education and culture is not to get facility in the utterance of such readymade opinions, nor yet to nourish unseemly pride in such cheap methods of imposing upon the ignorant, but in the place of all this protence to put the gonuine expression of opinions which shall be felt and not learned by rote. Culture is not a code of mental etiquette which amothers all original feeling beneath a superficial array of accomplishments. So long as this mistaken view is held, independence of thought becomes a flaw like color-blindness; worse than this, all chance is lost of strengthening the mind by the natural and healthy process of getting rid of old errors. In the place of normal growth the victim of faulty cultivation has thrust upon him a succession of formulas, and he learns early to comply with the demands of his special cotorie, The prececious wisdom of the young is far from being the only result; the old become precedious, overwise, and impatient of anything but the results of study. Various forms of affectation assert themselves innocerit people who are really anxious to do botter are led astray to join the band which considers itself alone wine and of good repute. - Contributors' Club in Atlantic

<u>Marketina arang kanang kanang arang kanang kana</u> MARK TWAIN AT NIAGARA.

Niagara Falls is one of the finest structures in the world. I have been visiting this favourite watering place recently for the first time, and was well pleased. A gentleman who was with me said it

was customary to be disappointed in the falls, but that subsequent visits were sure to set that all right. He said it was so with him. He said that the first time he went, hack fares were so much higher than the falls that the falls appeared insignificant. But that is all regulated now. . .

The sources of information are not meagre at Niagara Falls. You're something in doubt what you ought to do, but are seldom in doubt concerning what you must do. If an infant can read, that infant is measurably safe in Niagara.

If you room at the hotel you will find your course marked out in the most convenient way, by means of placerds on the walls like these:

"Pull the bell-rope gently, but don't

"Bolt your door." "Don't scraps matches on the walls or

"Turn off your gas when you retire." " Tie up your dog."

"If you put your boots outside the door, | said :-they will be bisoked; but the house will | not be responsible for their return." This is a confusing and tanglesome pro. please." position, because it moves you to deliberate

long and painfully as to whether it will really be any object to you to have your boots blacked unless they are returned.

you forget and carry it off with you." Outside the hotel, wherever you wander, you are intelligently assisted by the signs. You cannot come to grief as long as you are in your right mind with so many instructions to keep track of. For instance:

"Keep off the grass." "Don't climb the trees."

"Hands off the vegetables." "Don't hitch your horse to the shrub-

"Have your portrait taken in your car-"Forty per cent. in gold levied on all

"Visit the Cave of the Winds."

peanuts and other Indian curiosities purchused in Canada." " Photographs of the Falls taken here." "Visitors will please notify the superin-

tendent of any neglect on the part of employés to charge for commodities. (No inattention of this kind is observed.) "Don't throw stones down; there might be people below." "The proprietors will not be responsible for parties who jump

over the falls." (More shirking of responthing here. I always had a high regard for the signers | mind the others. of the Declaration of Independence; but now they did not really seem to amount to

much along with the signers of Nisgara To tell the truth, the multitude of signs annoved me. It was because I noticed at last they were prohibiting the very thing I

was just wanting to do. I desired to roll on the grass: the sign prohibited it. I longed to smoke: a sign prohibited it. And I was just in the act of throwing a stone over to astonish and pulverise such parties as might be picnicking below, when a sign I had just mentioned forbade that. Even that satisfaction was

denied me, and I was a friendless orphan. There was no resource now but to seek consolation from the flowing bowl. I drew my flask from my pocket, but it was all in vain. A sign confronted me, which said: "No drinking allowed on these pre-

On that spot I might have perished thirst but for the saving words of an honoured maxim that flitted through my memory at that moment; "All signs fail

in dry times." Common law takes precedence of the statutes; I was saved. The noble red man had always been a darling of mine. I love to read about him

I love to read of his inspired sagacity. and of his love of the wild, free life of mountain and forest, and his grand truthfulness, his hatred of treachery, and his general nobility of character, and his stately metaphorical speech, and his chivalric love for the dusky maiden, and the picturesque pomp of his dress and accoutrements.

When I found the shops at Niagara Falls full of dainty beadwork and stunning mocassins, and equally stunning toy figures representing human beings who carried their weapons in holes bored in their arms and bodies shaped like a pie, I was filled with emotion. I knew that now I was going to come face to face with the noble red | was the first lieutenant.

A lady-clerk in the shop told me, indeed,

the shade of a great tree, making mocassins, you may give." and addressed them in the following language of friendship:--

"Noble Red Men, Brave Grand Sachem, War Chiefs, Squaws, and High-you Mucka Mucks, the pale-face from the land of the setting sun greets you. You. Beneficent Polecat, you, Devourer of Mountains, you Roaring Thundergust-the pale-face from beyond the great waters greets you all.

"War and pestilence have thinned your ranks and destroyed your once proud nation. Poker and seven up and a vain modern expense for soap (unknown to your glorious ancestors) have depleted your purses. Appropriating in simplicity the property of others has gotten you into trouble. Misrepresenting facts in your sinless innocence has damaged your reputation with the soulless usurper. Trading with 40-rod whisky, to enable you to get drunk and tomahawk your families, has played the everlasting mischief with the picturesque pomp of your dress, and here you are, in the broad light of the nineteenth century. gotten up like the ragtag and bobtail of the purlieus of New York. For shame! Remember your ancestors! Recall their mighty deeds! Remember Uncas, and Red Jacket, and Hole-in-the-Day, and Horace Greeley. Emulate their achievements! Unfurl yourselves under my banner.

savages, illustrious gutteranipes--" Down wid him." " Scalp the blaggard!"

"Hang him!"

"Dhrown him !"

It was the quickest operation that I ever I simply saw a sudden flash in the air of clubs, brickbats, fists, bead-baskets, and mocassins—a single flash, and they all appeared to hit me at once, and no two of them in the same place.

- In the next instant the entire tribe was upon me. They tore all the clothes off of me, they broke all my arms and legs, they gave me athump that dented the top of my head till it would hold coffee like a saucer, and then, to crown their disgraceful proceedings and edd insult to injury, they threw me over the Horsehoe Fall and

About ninety-nine or a hundred feet from the top the remains of my vest caught on a projecting took, and I was almost drowned before I sould get loose.

I finally fell, and brought up in a world of foam at the foot of the fall, whose colled and bubbly mass towered up several inches

above my head. Of course I got into the eddy, 'I salled round and round it 44 times, chasing a chip and gaining on it—each round trip a half mile-reaching the same bush on the bank 44 times, and just exactly missing it by a hair's breadth every time.

At last a man walked down and sat down close to that bush, and put a pipe in his mouth, and lit a match, and followed me with one eye, and kept the other on the match while he sheltered it in his hands from the wind. Freschily a puff of wind blew it out.

The next time I swept around him he

"Got a match ?" "Yes, in my other vest, Help me out, "Not for doe,"

When I came round again I said : ___ "Excuse the seemingly importment curiosity of a drowning man, but will you ex-"Give your key to the omnibus driver if | plain this singular conduct of yours?" "With pleasure. I am the coroner Don't hurry on my account; I can wait for

> von. I wish I had a match." "Take my place and I'll go and get you one," I said. He declined. This lack of confidence on

from that time forward I avoided him. It was my idea, in case anything happened to me, to so time the occurrence as to throw my custom into the hands of the opposition coroner over on the American

At last a policeman came along and arrested me for disturbing the peace by yelling/for help.

The judge fined me, but I had the advantage of him. My money was with my pantaloons, which were with the Indians. Thus I escaped. I am now lying in a very critical condition—at least I am lying any way, critical or not.

I am hurt all over, but I cannot tell the extent yet, because the doctor is not done taking the inventory. He will make out my manifest this

sibility—it appears to be the prevailing evening. However, thus far, he thinks only six of my wounds are fatal. Don't Upon regaining my right mind I said :-"It is an awfully savage tribe of Indians

> that do the beadwork and mocassing for Niagara Falls, doctor. Where do they come from ?" the woods, that he doubted if he was heard I shall not be able to finish my remarks about Niagara Falls until I get better.

A COMBAT ALOFT. (Once a Week.)

A small United States war vessel, the Winthrop, with five guns, was cruising off the coast of Africa in search of a slaver, which had been reported to have lately sailed from Hayti, West Indies. One day a strong gale drove the vessel shoreward. Captain Williams, who commanded, just saved her by dropping both anchors within about twenty fathoms of the coast of Guinea.

a few miles below Cape Palmas. The vessel dragging, he was finally obliged to anchor by the stern. This held the ship, although she was now scarcely fifteen feet from land, right under a huge tree, one of the branches of which almost touched her

Darkness gradually gathered. Soon the gale abated, although the heavens were yet black with clouds hiding the moon, and throwing an impenetrable gloom over all

Suddenly strange noises filled the woods, extending some way back from the rocky shore, near which the craft was anchored. The crew listened with wonder.

Unearthly screams and shricks, mingled with a peculiar hissing, was heard. "Don't like that," sald Capt. Williams.

"The woods must be full of natives, who, perhaps, take us for the slaver, and are meditating an attack. Clear away the quarterboat and the long-boat, Mr Davis, and have both manned with good men, well armed. We must look into this matter."

"Aye, aye, sir," answered Mr Davis, who The order was soon obeyed.

that all her grand array were made by the captain to the midshipman and the master's Indians, and there were plenty about the mate, "I shall go ashore myself; so we falls, and that they were friendly, and that leave the vessel in your charge. Keep a it would not be dangerous to speak to good look-out. Although I have taken the whole crew. I will leave ten men, with one I came upon a camp of them gathered in of our boats, near enough to hear any alarm

The next moment the two boats were being pulled shoreward, and the young officers, with the cook, the cabin-boy, and steward, were the sole occupants of the the deck with four bullets in its body.

The three latter were in their berths. sleeping so soundly that the report of a cannon could hardly have waked them. The midshipman, Mr Thomas, and Graves, the master's mate, mounted to the

cross-trees. "I say," said Graves, "only look here. can get right up this tree. This is being pretty close ashere, my boy." "Yes," said Thomas; "but you had

better stop where you are. Don't be "Something to talk about, my boy," said Graves-"something to tell them when we get home. No one will believe that I

climbed off the yard into a tree." "Well, what of that?" said Thomas. There, stay here, man. Recollect we are in charge of the ship."

"Yes," said the other. "What induced the skipper to go ashore like that ?" As he spoke, he crept from the yard to the branch of the tree mentioned, and ensconced himself near the trunk, about twelve feet from his shipmate, who remain-

ed upon the yard. The two kept up an animated conversa-

"Do you see anything of our men, now, Graves?" Thomas at length inquired. The latter did not answer. Thomas repeated his question with no better result. "Strange ! thought he.

"At that moment he thought he beard gasping shrick, so smothered that it sounded something like the wail of a child. Then came a sort of crashing noise, like the falling of a body through thick branches. Either he has fallen or is making fun, muttered Thomas, who well knew the waggish propensities of the shipmate. "Graves ?" he exclaimed, standing up, and poering through the darkness.

There was no response. Really conterned about his friend, the midshipman was about crawling out upon the branch, when, through the gloom, he beheld the lines of a form, and caught the momentary gleam of a pair of bright eyes, sparkling as if in wild merriment.

"Ha! ha!" laughed Thomas. joker, you! Better not try that again. Graves."

Still Graves did not answer. Determined not to encourage his fun, Thomas now retreated to the and of the yard, and sat astraddle upon it, his heel on the stirrup.

Then he say the dark body dimly revealed, crawling along the branch towards the " Back to your place; Graves," he cried.

to skylark, the house of the territory As before-no response. The form was now upon the yard, craw ling out towards the young man, apparently on "all four,"

We came up here to keep a look-out, not

Thomas, knowing his comrade not to be a very active gyttinast, was surprised. It also atruck him that as well as he could see in the darkness, the proportions of his friend had strangely intressed in size. Voorpea chalods feet imbacesed

The mate's eyes, not naturally very large, Government military school, where he left the lecture-room. And, unless the instrunow glowed out like great balls of fire. qualified for the staff. He has been a ment were very accurate, there might be and throwing a broad glare of light on service in Yemen, Crete, and Servia. every object, revealed the figure of the intruder in all its terrible bideousness:

his part created a coolness between us, and

trying nature. Here was the youth, all alone, near the age.

end of the yard, with no arms except a small clasp-knife in his pocket, and no way of retreat open to him. The gorilla being between him and the

mast, he was thus debarred from running inward, while two steps backward would precipitate him over the end of the yard. to be dashed to pieces on the deck below.

Glancing wildly around him, and seeing nothing of the departed men or their boats, he gave himself up for lost. Nerving himself at last to do his best, he

drew his clasp-knife, resolved at least to strike one good blow in self-defence. Meanwhile, with all his might he shouted; but so terrific was now become the din in

by his shipmates. When within two feet, the gorilla sprang | the garrison of Shumla. at him, clutching the yard with one claw, burying the other in his shoulder. The blow almost knocked him from his hold: Writhing with pain as the claw was withdrawn for another blow, and the huge jaw

The gorilla, selzing the knife between its teeth, jerked it from his hand, and the

weapon fell to the deck. The beast again struck him, and strove to clutch his white neck in its terrible fangs, Thomas, however, drawing far back, the monster only got his jacket in its teeth.

gorilla, bending over, would the next mohuge jaws, but for his letting himself quickly down to the stirrup.

stooped over, and a second time came near | der in-chief of the army of Anatolia. getting its jaw over his head.

gaskets, was near the young man, who, now clutching it, lowered himself along the six feet below the spar, and fifty from the now in charge of the garrison of Kars.

The gorilla, with horrible cries of rage, at once commenced gnawing at the rope, and was promoted to the rank of general seemingly determined to destroy in this officer in 1867, after which he became way its antagonist, who had got beyond the Governor of Diarbekir. At present he is reach of its fancs and claws.

Thomas realized the full peril of his years of age. situation. Right beneath him lay a spare lustre, as his teeth snapped at the cord. One of the strands was already out through. In one minute all would be over.

Hanging thus between life and death, Thomas had given up all hope, when he heard the simultaneous crack of many rifles; and with one long, wild scream, the gorilla fell whizzing past him, crashing to

Thomas easily succeeded in regaining the vard. He then beheld his rescuers, some of the crew of the quarter-boat, who, arriving aboard, had mounted the rigging to save him.

Having discovered that the strange noises which had drawn them ashore were made by birds, ages, and other animals, they had set out on their return, fortunately in time to hear his cries for assistance.

The midshipman, descending to the deck, soon told his story; when the body of the dead gorilla being thrown overboard, a party went to the foot of a tree on the bank, to there discover the torn and mangled remains of the poor fellow whom the savage beast had made its victim ere attacking Thomas.

The body was buried ashore that night. and the vessel sailed the following morning. Years have passed since then; and Thomas, now Captain of a fine war-vessel. has faced many perils, but in none has he experienced the horrible sensation felt on that night when he was attacked by an African gorilla.

THE TURKISH COMMANDERS.

The Constantinople newspaper, Jaridari-

Hawadith, gives us short accounts of the principal Turkish generals. We subjoin extracts relating to those whose names have been most before the public of late. Muhammad All Pasha, the present Commander-in-Chief, is a Prussian who turned Mahomedan and entered the Turkish military service in 1845. He rose to the rank of Commander of a brigade in 1859. distinguished himself in putting down the Cretan insurrection, and in the Servian and Montenegrin war. At the beginning

of the present war, he was in command of the third army corps, on the Servian and Montenegrin frontier. He has the reputation of being an ambitious and enterprising Commander. He is between fifty and sixty years of age. Osman Nurl Pasha comes from Aidin

(Smyrna). He entered the army in 1845, and qualified for the staff before leaving the military school at Constantinople. Not long ago, he was made a general officer and appointed Commandant of Widdin. He, too, has served in Crete, but his fame rests chiefly upon the battle of Zaitschar, won by him in the Servian war. He is at present in Plevna, with a large army drawn

from Widdin and Sophia. Muhammad Ashraf Pasha is a native of Broussa. His military career dates from 1838. Last year he was made a general officer and placed in command of Rustchuk, which he has since given up to Ahmad Ayyoub Pasha. He has also filled several civil offices, as Governor and Ambassador, and for some years he represented the Turkish Government in Teheran. He is said to be a post and a man of letters. At present he esems to be in command of the

army at Nissa. Ahmad Ayyoub Pasha, the present Commandant of Rustchuk, was educated in the Issuing from a drumbead hung in the middle Mills Pills." salface?"

The moon emerging from behind a cloud, general officer since, in 1873. He has seen some confusion as to whether a sudden

Auleiman Khairi Pasha distinguished or was due to a hitch in the machinery. himself in engineering at the military The first of these objections might be met Not the master's mate this, but a huge, school, and was subsequently appointed without any great difficulty. There is a hairy gorills, with flaming eyes, jaw pro- instructor in military science at the capi- game, or there was when children were contruding, and long teeth disclosed, as its tal. Last year he was sent to take Com- tent with games that involved no moral or great mouth was opened to its full extent! mand of the Turkish forces in the Herzego- scientific lesson, in which, while one person The sudderness of this discovery for a vina, and on the renewal of hostilities with recites a poem, another goes through the moment took away the self-possession of Montenegro, he forced his way through actions that he conceives to be appropriate the young midshipman. His brain grew Montenegrin territory and effected a junc- to the poet's meaning. A hint might be dizzy; his blood was chilled; he trembled tion with Ali Saib Pasha at Spuz, whence taken from this; the outward signs of the he marched to Antivari and embarked for telephone might be kept out of the audience's The bravest man in the world might have Salonika, with his army, to defend Rou- view, and a person "made up" as accurately been similarly affected under the circum- melia. He has since compelled the Rus- as possible to represent the lecturer might stances, which were certainly of a most sians to fall back from Roumelia upon the appear to deliver the discourse with fitting Shipka Pass. He is over forty years of gesture and aspect. In the same way the

Ali Saib Pasha qualified for the staff in turned to account by learned persons desirous the Government military school and be- of instructing the world, but unable to overcame a general officer in 1878. He officiat- come their fear of standing up to face an ed as second in command of the Turkish audience. Sitting peacefully in his own army for four months during the Servian study, a man whose eloquence was before war, and shared with Ahmad Ayyoub defeated by his shyness, might give forth Pasha the honor of the victory of Alexinatz. burning words to an audience some miles off, Last June, he operated against Montenegro | whose applause might be transmitted to him by On came the bateful beast, nearer and from the south, but was not able to enter a second telephone arranged for the purpose. Montenegrin territory. He has accompanied In the case of theatrical and operatic Sulciman Pasha to Roumelia, with the entertainments the telephone might render

effective portion of his army.

and qualified in the military schools as a to take her place, the manager might at once cavalry officer. In the Servian war he was telegraph to another prima donna in a distant wounded, and was made the commander of town, and have the heroine's music sung by a brigade. He has a great reputation as a telephone. This system might of course be came down with a snap for his throat, he bold and clever officer. At present he is carried still further, so as to improve on the almed a blow with his knife at the creature's | in charge of the defence of Silistria.

> who has been a second time placed in com- an orchestra interferes with the proper mand of a brigade and sent to the Grecian appreciation of the lyric drama. The imagi-

Commanders:

him over. He clutched the yard. The rank of general, and in 1872 was made dragons breathing real flame, can furnish

Mustoft Tanfik Pasha was educated in Fortunately, a loose rope, one of the Egypt, and passed into the Turkish service after the war of Acre. He was Commander of Kalafat in the Crimean war and rope to the end, and there hung suspended, became a general officer in 1862. He is Ismail Hakki Pasha is a Kurd. He dis- operatio managers all over the world.

tinguished himself in several frontier wars. Governor of Erzeroum. He is over sixty

Ibrahim Dervis Pasha was born in Lovatz anchor, upon which he must fall when the and educated in the military school at "Mr Thomas and Mr Graves," said the strands of the rope should part. In the Constantinople. He served in the Crimean bard, Hon. Sitz-Lavender Belairs, enjoys pale moonbeams, the eyeballs of the hairy war and in 1862 against Montenegro, when the bliss of reading a little thing of his fiend above him seemed to glow with a green he acquired great glory by forcing the own, "Fair Archeress," to a circle of earned him the rank of a general officer. women :--In the Servian war he carried the stronglyentrenched position of Javor, and in the last war with Montenegro he advanced from the south-east, and occupied the heights of Spuz. He has recently been sent to Batoum, and his arrival there has been the signal for successful offensive

movements on the part of the Turks. Faik Pasha entered the army in 1827, and became Commander of a brigade in 1865. He is chief of the staff of the fourth army corps, and is at present Commandant of Van. It was he who commanded the forces which for 28 days besieged the Rus-

sian garrison in the citadel of Bayazid. Fazli Pasha entered the army in 1853. and in 1874 became Commander of a brigade. He shared the glory of the victory of Zaitschar with Osman Pasha. At the beginning of the present war, he was sent to Soukhoum Kaleh, whence he has apparently returned, on the abandonment of the Caucasian expedition.

POSSIBLE USES OF THE TELEPHONE.

(Saturday Review.) of the air made very little impression upon Lieutenant-General Gourko. them." Aristus's commands were met by flat refusal; his wife attempted to bring the children back to a sense of their filial duty, feel it a duty I owe to you to express my "but her expostulations could produce no gratitude for the great benefit I have deobedience to the venerable sound, and it was rived by taking 'Norton's Camomile Fille. disobeyed every hour." The more exaspe- I applied to your agent Mr Bell, Berkeley, rated Aristus became the more the children for the above-named Pills, for wind in the were delighted, and they even went so far as stomach, from which I suffered excrudiato play all kinds of tricks on purpose to hear | ting pain for a length of time, having tried the air scolding them. Something of this nearly every remedy prescribed, but with. inconvenience might, unless provision were out deriving any benefit at all. After made against it, belong to the system of taking two bottles of your valuable Pills, J lecturing by telephone. The authority was quite resided to my usual state of accompanying words spoken by a man who health. Please give this publicity for the believes in the lesson he teaches and lends it benefit of those who may thus be afflicted.

pause was intended as a hint for applause. resources of the new apparatus might be

incalculable services. Suppose that a favou-Aziz Pasha entered the army in 1849, and rite actor is prevented from appearing by a qualified in the military school as an artil- fit of the gout or anything else which cripples lery officer. He subsequently completed his limbs, but leaves his voice and intelligence his education in Berlin, where he is said to unhurt. What more simple in such an have made himself almost perfect in his emergency than to arrange a telephone by particular line. At Alexinatz he served which his accents shall be carried to an as a brigade officer and did good service. enraptured audience, while a double goes His present post is that of commandant of through the mere mechanical movements of the part? Or, if a prima donna were sud-Salami Pasha entered the army in 1858. dealy indisposed, and no one could be found new method lately exhibited at Bayreuth. Ahmad Shukri Pasha is an old officer Herr Wagner is of opinion that the sight of nation, which should be filled with mysterious On the Asiatic side we have the following impressions of things far removed from commonplace life, is checked by the view of a Ahmad Mukhtar Pashs qualified for the company of men of this world engaged in staff in the military school, and subsequent- blowing and fiddling. We would go further He wrenched himself quickly from it, to ly accompanied the Seraskier Redif Pashs than this, and say that not all the resources receive upon his breast a blow that knocked to Yemen, where he was promoted to the of machinery, steam vapour, and practicable Governor of Yemen. Here he won the an adequate embodiment of Herr Wagner's ment have caught his whole head in his battle of Asir with the Seraskier and suc- ideas. Let us, then, do away with these ceeded in bringing the province completely gross representations of poetic images. Let under the Turkish power. He was made each member of a number of audiences There he clung for a moment, out of the commandant of the Turkish forces in the assembled at various points see in his own reach of his enemy. The latter, however, Herzegovins in 1876, and cleared that pro- mind's eye the scenes and personages what now winding its limbs round the yard, vince of insurgents. He is now Comman- the composer's music, conveyed by telephone to the different assemblies, suggests. There would then be no need of building special theatres in accordance with the notions of the poet and musician. Herr Wagner might train his own orchestra and keep it constantly in his own house, ready to comply at a moment's notice with the demands made by

Miscellaneous.

Domestic Magazines .- Wives who blow up their husbands.

POETRY OF THE UPPER TEN. -The young Duga and Ostrog passes, a service which weak-minded but intensely sympathetic

Glad lady mine, that glittewest In shimmah of shummah athwaht the lawn. Canst tell me which is bittewest. The glamaw of eve, or the glimmah of dawn, To those with whose healts thou littewest

The field where they fell at thy feet to fawn? As a buttahily dost thou fluttah by ! How, whence, and, and oh! whither, aht come and gone?"

Chorus—How exquisite! How refined!! How really quite too far more than most awfully delicious!!!-Punch.

THE Russian Imperial Guard, which is reported to be under orders for Bulgaria. consists of three divisions of infantry, to each of which is attached a brigade of field artillery, a brigade of rifles, and three divisions of cavalry. Each division of infantry, again, consists of two brigades : each brigade comprising two regiments, of four battalions each. The brigade of artillery attached to each division bears the same number as this latter, and consists of six batteries of eight guns each. Of these batteries the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd are armed with 9-pounder, the 4th. 5th, and 6th with 9pounder guns. The total number of men in each division of infantry of the guard. The telephone might be made useful in an including the artillery brigade, the artillery infinity of ways, both to the public and to park and the divisional ambulance, amounts the people who provide for the public's to 20,848; each division being able to place. amusement. A popular lecturer, for instance, when its war establishment is complete, might, with the aid of the new instrument, 15.860 bayonets and 48 guns in front line. save himself a large amount of wear and tear | Each division of cavalry comprises two by delivering his discourse in a dozen differ- brigades, each formed of two regiments of ent places at the same time, thus outdoing cavalry and two horse artillery batteries of Frikell's feat of riding out at all the gates 6 guns. The total number of men in such of St. Petersburg at twelve o'clock. In a a division amounts to 4,079, and it can mirvellously clever, but little known, work place in the field 2,499 sabres and 12 guns. called "Adventures in the Moon," there is a Finally, the brigade of rifles of the Guard story of a certain Aristus who came to the consists of four battalions, numbering in conclusion that a body was a very inconve- all 3.816 men and placing 8,040 bayonets nient encumbrance, and persuaded his house- in front line. Altogether, therefore, the hold god to teach him a charm by means of Imperial Guard of Russia numbers 77,087 which he might get rid of his limbs, and of all ranks and arms of the service and, retain only his mind and voice. The ar- provided that all its units are completed to rangement did not turn out quite as success- their full war strength, can place in the field fully as he thought it would. His children, 49,120 bayonets, 7,497 sabres, 144 fields when he spoke to him, "were at first terrified pieces, and 36 horse artillery guns. The by this mysterious voice, and could hardly commander of the Guard is the Caarewitch, be prevented from running away; but hear- holding the rank of General of Infantry, ing it solemnly assure them that it was their and his chief of the staff is Lieutenantfather, and had no design of hurting them, General Count Voronzoff Dajkoff. The they took courage, and were then greatly commander of the 1st Division of Infantry amused to find how their father had hid is Lieutenant-General the Grand Duke himself: they laughed violently whenever Vladimir Alexandrovitch ; of the 2nd he spoke, and seemed to be delighted with Division, Lieutenant-General Tierkoff; of the novelty." Increased familiarity with the the 3rd Division, Lieutenant-General wonder bred contempt. "They had been Kutalei of the Brigade of Rifles, Major. accustomed to follow without hesitation the General Ellis; of the 1st Division of advice which came from a peremptory coun- Cavalry, Lieutenant-General Count Mussin tenance; but now the advice which came out Pujkin, and of the 2nd Division of Cavalry;

"BERKELEY, Sept. 1869. —Gentlettien, I weight by an impressive demeanour, might -I am, Sir, yours truly, Haway Allyand. well be lost in the case of a spectral voice -To the Proprietors of Nonzon's Came.

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> OHUN AYIN, Manager.

POSTAL BATES.

Hongkong, February 23, 1874.

[Subjoined we give the postal rates now in force for transmission of correspondence to all parts of the world. Detailed rules affecting the transmission of packets, parcels, &c., will be found annexed, together with a number of miscellaneous and useful notices.]

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(Revised July 2nd, 1877.)

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A book-packet may contain any number of separate books or other publications (including printed or lithographed letters), photographs (when not on glass or in cases containing glass or any like substance), drawings, prints, or maps, and any quantity of paper, or any other substance in ordinary use for writing or printing upon; and the books or other publications, prints, maps, &c., may be either printed, written, engraved, lithographed, or plain, or any mixture of these. Further, all legitimate binding, mounting, or covering of a book, &c., or of a portion thereof, is allowed. whather such binding, &c. be loose or attached; as also rollers in the case prints or maps, markers (whether of paper or otherwise) in the case of books, pens or pencils in the case of pocket-books, do. and, in short, whatever is necessary for the safe transmission of such articles, or usually appertains thereto; but the binding, rollers, &c. must not be sent as a separate packet.

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book post. But a book-packet may not contain any letter, or communication of the nature of a letter (whether separate or otherwise). unless it be a circular-letter or be wholly printed; nor any enclosure sealed or in any way closed against inspection; nor any other enclosure not allowed by Rule 3, this rule be infringed, the entire packet is charged as a letter.

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they must again tie up the packet. No book-packet may be above 5 lbs. in weight, nor above 24 inches in length. 12 inches in width, or 12 inches in depth. unless it be sent to or from one of the Government offices.

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PATTERNS. They must not be of intrinsic value. This rule excludes all articles of a saleable nature, and indeed whatever may have a value of its own, apart from its mere use as a pattern; and the quantity of any material sent estensibly as a pattern must not be so great that it can fairly be considered as having on this ground an intrinsic value.

Pattern and Sample Post to colonies and foreign countries is restricted to bond fide forwarded. trade patterns or samples of merchandise. Goods sent for sale, or in execution of an order (however small the quantity may be), or any articles sent by one private individual to another, which are not actual patterns or samples, are not admissible.

Patterns or samples, when practicable, must be sent in covers open at the ends, and in such a manner as to be easy of examination. But samples of seeds, drugs, and such like articles, which cannot be sent in covers of this kind,—but such articles only,-may be posted enclosed in boxes, or bags of linen, of other material, fastened in such a manner that they may be readily opened; or, in the case of seeds, &c., for the United States of America, Holland, and its possessions, Belgium, Denmark, Greece, Portugal and its possessions, and Switzerland, in bags entirely closed, provided such closed bags are transparent, so as to enable the Officers of the Post Office readily to satisfy themselves as to the

nature of the contents. There must be no writing or printing upon or in any packet except the address of the person for whom it is intended, the address of the sender, a trade mark or number, and the price of the articles.

Samples of intrinsic value must not be sent to any foreign country except United States; and in the case of France samples of eider down, raw or thread silk, woollen goats' hair thread, vanilla, saffron, carmine, or singlass, are considered to fall under this rule if they weigh more than three ounces; and up to this weight raw and spun silk, as well as coloured and twisted silk, may be sent to Germany.

The rule which forbids the transmission tarough the Post of any article likely to injure the contents of the Mail Bags or Boxes, or the person of any Officer of the Post Office is, of course, applicable to the Pattern Post; and a packet containing any. thing of the kind will be stopped, and not sent to its destination. Articles such as the following have been occasionally posted as Patterns, and have been detained as unfit for the Post, viz : Metal boxes, porcelain and China, fruit, vegetables, bunches of flowers, cuttings of plants, spurs, knives, scissors, needles, pins, pieces of machinery. sharp pointed instruments, samples of metals, samples of ore, samples in glass bottles, pieces of glass, acids of various kinds, curry combs, copper and steel engraving plates, and confectionery of all

Such articles as scissors, knives, razors. forks, steel pens, nails, keys, watch machinery, metal tubing, pieces of metal or ore, provided that they be packed and guarded in so secure a manner as to afford complete protection to the contents of the mail bags and to the Officers of the Post Office, while at the same time they may be easily examined, may be sent as samples to the following countries, but to these alone: viz., the Azores, Belgium, Cape de Verd Islands, Denmark, Egypt, Germany, Holland, Madeira, Moldavia, Norway, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United States, Wallachia, and the British Colonies. Indigo cannot be sent to any place abroad.

A packet of patterns or samples sent to the Azores, Cape de Verd Islands, France. Madeira, Portugal, or by French packet. to Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, must not exceed 18 inches in length, width, depth; a packet to any other place abroad must not exceed 24 inches in length or 12 inches in width or depth.

To provide the greatest possible facilities for posting Correspondence for Europe. dre., up to the latest moment before the departure of the French Packets, arrangements have been made for receiving at the Post Office late letters—except those and through Australia-from 11.16 A.M. to 11.30 A.M. Each letter must bear a late fee of 18 cents extra postage.

The above arrangement is intended to meet occasional emergencies, and not for the regular posting of extensive correspondence. Should it be found, therefore, that large and unmanageable numbers of letters are habitually thrown upon the Department at the last moment, a heavier late fee will be imposed.

A similar supplementary Mail will be made up for Shanghai by the English and French Contract Steamers, the late letters being received from 10 minutes after, up to half an hour after the time of closing. The late fee will also be 18 cents.

Miscellaneous Notices.

There will be communication with Australia via Batavla and Port Darwin, as follows :-

Leave Hongkong by French Packet, ... Sept. 15. Nov. 29. Due at Port Darwin, .. Oct. 12. Dec. 24.

Sydney,.....Oct. 31. Jan. 12. Melbourne,....Nov. 6. Jan. 18. Adelaide,........Nov. 12. Jan. 24. For the present the correspondence can only be paid to Batavia, from which place it may possibly be forwarded without further charge.

Mails exchanged with Manila and Saigon. The Philippine Islands being now admitted into the General Postal Union, it follows that all paid correspondence received atring in such cases, although if they do so from Manila in the mails will be delivered free by this Office, and that all paid correspondence sent to Manila in the mails should be delivered free there.

Article IX of the Postal Treaty of Berne provides that " Neither the senders nor the addressees of letters and other postal packets shall be called upon to pay, either In the Country of Origin, or in that of Destination, any tax or duty other than" the recognised rates levied (in the case of Office. It is hoped that any extra charge, or apparently extra charge, will at once be

The above does not apply in any to loose vate Ship 12, Registration, 12; Newspapers, Madeira, or Portugal, or for Egypt, Syria, and probably the Manila Office will adopt a grown and Patterns, 6, or Turkey, when sent by French Packet, the same source.

extra charges on correspondence exchanged. Important, be registered. between this Colony and Saigon, but it is believed it would be found in all cases that Any Foreign stamps on loose corre-

spondence are obligated in this Office. Indian Correspondence.

Unpaid Letters are not received for the Indian Mall Packets The Pre-payment of correspondence for the Straits, India, Ceylon, and Aden is compulsory by whatever opportunity it is

Registration to Bangkok. Her Britannic Majesty's Consul General for Siam has been good enough to make arrangements by means of which correspondence can be Registered to Bangkok, at the

usual charge of 8 cents.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Letters. Privates in H. M. Army or Navy, Noncommissioned Officers,* Army Schoolmas-ters (not superintending or First Class) or Schoolmistresses may send half-ounce letters to the United Kingdom via Marselles by French Packet, or via Southampton by British Packet, for one penny; or via Brindisi by British Packet for three-pence. Hongkong stamps will prepay this class of correspondence exactly the same as imperial

Soldiers' and Sailors' letters are, however, charged as ordinary letters if they do not conform to the following regulations:-1. Not to exceed half an ounce. No

double letters are allowed. 2. If from a Soldier or Sailor, his class or description must be stated in full on the letter, and the commanding Officer must sign his name, with name of Regi-

ment, or Ship, &c., in full. 8. If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class or description must be stated in full, with name of Regiment, or Ship, &c., in full.

* But not Warrant Officers, viz., Assistant Engineer, Gunner, Boatswain, or Carpenter.

Communication with Batavia. The Netherlands India Packets leave Singapore fortnightly, and are fitted to the arrival of the outward P. & O. Mail from

The French Packts for Batavia wait at Singapore for the Packet from China and run fortnightly.

It follows that, to forward Correspondence to Batavia with the least delay, the following are the best opportunities:--In the S.W. Monsoon.

The English Mail. The French Mail. In the N.E. Mensoon. A Private Steamer a few days before the English Mail The French Mail.

The Post Office is not, by law, responsible for any loss or inconvenience which may arise from the non-delivery, mis-sending, or mis-delivery of any letter, book, or other postal packet (even if the packet be registered); nor is the Post Office responsible for any injury which a packet may sustain

during its transmission. To guard against such injury all postal packets which are likely to suffer from stamping or from great pressure should be placed in strong covers; and even with this precaution no fragile article should be sent through the Post. It should be remembered that every packet has to be handled several times; that it is exposed to considerable pressure and friction in the mail bag; and that, whenever the bag has in the course of its transmission to be transferred by means of the railway apparatus, the risk of injury

is much increased. No information can be given respecting letters which pass through a Post Office except to the persons to whom they are addressed; and in no other way is official information of a private character allowed to be made public. A Postmaster may, however, give an address if he has no reason to believe that the person whose address it is would disapprove of his doing so.

Postmasters are not allowed to return any letter or other packet to the writer or sender. or to any one else, or to delay forwarding it to its destination according to the address, even though a request to such effect be written thereon.

Postmasters are not bound to give change, nor are they authorised to demand change and when money is paid at a Post Office, whether as change or otherwise, no question as to its right amount, goodness, or weight can be entertained after It has been removed from the counter.

Postmasters are not bound to weigh any letters or other packets for the public, but they may do so if their duty be not thereby

The practice of sealing letters passing to and from the East and West Indies, and other countries with hot climates, with wax (except such as is specially prepared), is attended with much, inconvenience, and frequently with serious injury, not only to the letters so sealed but to the other letters in the mail, from the melting of the wax and adhesion of the letters to each other. The public are therefore recommended, in al such cases, to use either waters or gum, and to advise their correspondents in the countries referred to, to do the same.

The registration of a packet makes its transmission much more secure, inasmuch as, under ordinary bircumstances, a registered packet can be traced through its whole course; and thus the loss of a registered packet is a very rare occurrence. Neverthe. less large sums of money or other articles of great value should not be sent through the post, even if the panket be registered; as the machinery of the Department is not arranged with a view to such transmission. By law, the Post Office is not responsible for the safe delivery of registered packets : have signed it in the proper place. An though any officer who may neglect his order can be transferred to another office duty on this point will be called to strict account. Bent in unregisterel, letters, valu. able articles are exposed to risk, and offer a temptation which ought not to be created ! and the Department cannot in any way undertake the sale conveyance of such packets. All inland or colonial letters. therefore which contain coin, and all paid correspondence) by the despatching inland letters which contain watches or lewellery, even though they be posted without registration, are treated as registered, and charged on delivery with a double registration fee of eightpeace in addition to relative to it has been received. the ordinary postage and any such letters which cannot be registered in time to be forwarded by the Mall for which they are posted are detained for the next despatch. + Orders on Shaughai are drawn at 2 per cent. Avon if the letter de not contain any article

Complaints are sometimes received of of intrinsic value, it should, if it be very

Most countries to which Hongkong forwards Correspondence having joined the General Postal Union or being probably about to do so, it is necessary that the Ah Tong following rules be strictly observed. 1. No Letter or Packet, whether to be registered or unregistered, can be received

as a general rule, is liable to Customs 2. This Regulation prohibits the sending of Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the

for Postage if it contains gold or silvermoney,

jewels, precious articles, or anything that,

sample of no value. 3. The limits of weight allowed are as

follows :---Books and Papers—to British Offices, 5 lbs.; to the Continent, &c., 2 lbs. Patterns-to British Offices, 51bs. if without intrinsic value; to the Continent,

&c., 8 oz 4. The following articles cannot be sent by Post at all : Glass, Liquids, Gunpowder, Matches, Candles, Soap, Indigo, Dye-stuffs, or whatever is dangerous to the Mails, or offensive or injurious to persons dealing with them.

PARCELS.—The public is reminded that, in China and Japan, there is no such thing as Parcel Post, Much trouble and disappointment is caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable trifles through the Fans, Curios, Articles of Dress, Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders having often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made on such parcels of the value of Stamps obliterated before the

nature of the contents was discovered. PATTERNS. -Somedifficulty is experienced in obtaining a general understanding of what is a Pattern. It is a bond fide sample of goods which the sender has for sale, or of goods which he wishes to order. It is to consist of the smallest possible quantity compatible with shewing what the goods are, and must have no intrinsic value.

To provide means of remitting small sums of money to or from this Colony and between the Ports of China and Japan, the Postmasters and Agents of this Office will in future be allowed (but not required) to purchase Hongkong Postage Stamps from foreign residents.

Between Hongkong and Shanghal, or Hongkong and Yokohama, however, in either direction, Money-Orders must be

The Stamps tendered for sale must not exceed \$25 in value, must be perfectly clean, in good condition, and in strips of at least two, as no separate Stamps will be purchased. They must be presented personally or accompanied by a note. The Postmaster or Agent may postpone purchasing if his public funds in hand are

not aufficient, and he will refuse to purchase in any case which appears doubtful or suspicious. He is allowed to charge a Commission of one per cent on all Stamps purchased. Letters containing Stamps should be Registered, and the Stamps should be

necured from observation. During the N.E. Monsoon, the Charlerers and Agents of sailing ships for Manila, Saigon, Bangkok and Singapore are requested togive notice to this Office of the departures

of such ships. No correspondence will be forwarded by sailing vessel but such as is specially so

Correspondence for New Zealand may be forwarded via Torres Straits when specially directed for that route, otherwise it will be sent by way of Galle.

Money Order Regulations.

1.—Money Orders on the United Kingdom are issued at Hongkong, Shanghai and Yekohama. Shanghai and Yokohama also issue on Hongkong and vice versa. 2.--Small sums may be remitted between

the other Ports by means of Postage 3.—Many Money Orders are supplied to residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order* is filled up, and is enclosed with a stamped, directed, and unsealed envelope to the Postmaster at | Glengairn

the nearest issuing office. The application must be accompanied with the full amount Globe (including commission) in cheque, postage stamps, or other equivalent of cash, and a little margin should be left for variations of exchange. The Postmaster issues the order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order | Lord of the Isles 1 Offices close some hours before the departures of the mails.

4.-No order must exceed £10, or in- Curlew clude any fraction of a penny. 'Orders will | Hart be drawn at the current rate of the day! and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived.

The commission is as follows:— Orders on the United Kingdom. Up to 22...... 18 cents. Local Money Orders.

B,-Lists of Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom may be consulted at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama. 6.-Names must be given in full (expect when there is more than one Christian name) but the name of the Payce need not bagiven if the order be crossed (as cheques are crossed). It can then be paid only through a Bank, and may afterwards be

specially crossed to any Bank. 7.-No order can be paid till the Pavee on payment of an additional commission. In case of loss of an order, necessity for stopping payment, or the like, application should be made to the nearest Money

Order Office for instructions. 8.—If the order be not presented within siz months an additional commission will botharged; if not within twelve months. the money will be forfeited. When the order is once paid no further claim can be

entertained. 2. No order can be hald until the advice

* Made out on a printed form which is supplied premium in all cases.

POST OFFICE NOTICE. Unclaimed Correspondence, Sept. 21, 1877.

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Course 5	Pasqualini	1
Craven, Mrs 1	Peet & Co., J.	,
Davis, Frank 1	Pereira, Jose G.	1
Dolgado, Thos. 3	Powell, Lieut.	9
Denley, W. 1	R, (R.N.)	· "
Derrig, P. 1	Pritchard, Hugh	
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Douglas, Miss C. 1	Raymont, E. W.	1
Duncan, C. 1	Riddell, John 🔃	. •
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Foong Wan Kye 1 re	gd Seton, Capt. H.	} •
Forrest, John	C., R.A.	1
(Engineer)	Shepherd, Capt.	2
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Hamilton, Chas. 1	Barriet	-1
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Jenkins, J. 1	Warden, R.	1
Jurzina, Anton 1	Webber, O.	1
Keller, Henry 4	1 Willard, Pem.	1
Kelly, J. W. 1	Wilson, Mr	
Lawrie, F. D.	1 (Diver)	İ
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1 Wm. Turner

Lets. Pap. Victor Emanuel 5 Books, etc. without Covers Alabastor & Co.'s Price List. Amsterdamsche Courant.

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Weekly Dispatch. Weekly Scotsman.

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Exclusive of late Arrivals	nd Departures reported to-day.	At 1110 Cash per Dollar Mexican.	Tench,
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Shepherd 7 h Madder Brit. sh. 849	ug. 20 Meyer & Co. Newchwang Wanchai I ept. 4 Siemssen & Co. Monte Video	Leg, 150 140 猪肌	Raisins, Muscatel, bottle 750 600 珠提飲
tor 10 3 k Hwert 4 c Bunje 3 k Harris Brit. sh. 765	uly 6 Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. New York uly 11 Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. San Francisco	,, Fator Lard, , , 110 100 猪油	,, 1b. 200 160 珠槐乾
on Hoat 2 c Kent Sia. 3m. sc. 190	ept. 2 Chinese lug. 13 Tack Mee	Shoope' Head, and Fest, set 450 840 羊頭脚 ,, Heart, each 50 40 羊心	Salisbury Seeds, Pak-kwo, catty 70 50 日果 Sugar Cane, atlok 50 80 族
lacaulay Amer. 50h. Amer. 50h. Brit. bqe. 847	uly 1 Vogel, Hagedorn & Co. Hamburg	, Kidneys, , , 80 70 章题	Tamarinds, catty 60 50 粒子
3 k Schierloch Ger. 3m. sc. 245 2 h Klindt Siam. bge. 432	ept. 7 fiduard Schellhass & Co. Halphong	Sucking Pige,	Walnuts,
Marian 3 k Forrest Brit. bg. 298 4 k Kluge Ger. bge. 498	uly 31 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Nagazaki Sept. 8 Wieler & Co.	Sweet Bread, catty 140 120 牛核	Water Caltrops (old) . ,, 80 20 菱角 ,, (green). ,, 40 80 西縣菱兌
orton 8 c Thompson Brit. bqe. 330 3 k Robertson Brit. bqe. 629	Sept. 19 Adamson, Bell & Co. July 17 Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Veal, catty 140 120 午行闵	Water Chemuts, Canton , 70 60 馬蹄
d 3 k Clark Brit. bqc. 695 8 c Clare Brit. sh. 1161	July 30 Captain Aug. 80 Gilman & Co. Sept. 8 Meyer & Co.	Poultry. 生口	Vegetahles
ian 2 o Eerry Brit. sh. 1060	Sept. 8 Meyer & Co. Sept. 6 Meyer & Co. July 27 Russell & Co.	Capone,	フトレット
ick Hay 4 k Barnaby 4 k Nicolson Amer. 190. 290 406	Sept. 19 Kwong Kee Feb. 28 Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Ducks,	Asparagus, tin 450 400 龍鬚菜 Bamboo Shoots, catty 60 50 竹笋
dam 4 k Dik Dut. bqs. 760	Aug. 31 Melchers & Co. Batavia Sept. 2 Carlowitz & Co. Haiphong	"Duck . " 100 — 鴨蛋	Beans, sprout, , , 20 16 芽菜
n's Bride 2 h Andreasen " am. bqc. 314	Aug. 12 Chinese Sept. 11 Chinese put back	,, Salt ,, 120 — 鹹蛋	Broad 80 70 面豆
Queen 4 h MacKintosh Brit. bqe. 769 3 k Clough Amer. sh. 1090	Aug. 13 Eduard Schellhass & Co. Newchwang Sept. 5 Russell & Co.	Fowls, catty 180 160 美島	,, French from Macao,, 120 110 漫豆 Long, 60 50 豆角
tra ham ae Behn 3 L Steffens Brit. sh. 1068 Ger. bqe. 456	July 11 Messageries Maritimes Sept. 4 Siemssen & Co.	Geeze, , 140 120 技局 Partridges, each 350 320 監持	Beet Root, Shanghai, each 30 20 紅菜項
8 c Barry Amer. sh. 1229 4 k Dalargy Brit. sh. 680	Aug. 17 Meyer & Co. London July 23 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Singapore	Pheasants, Canton, pals \$1.70 - 1198	Brassica, 30 一 白菜
ount Macduff 3 k Wright Brit. 3m.sc. 282 am Cobb 4 c Brady Am. 3m. sc. 424	Aug. 28 Borneo Co., Limited July 30 Olyphant & Co. Aug. 11 Rozario & Co. Melbourne & Sydney	Pigeons, each 150 140 白稿 Rabbits 700 600 安斯	Cabbage, Common, 30 - 芥蘭菜 Shanghal, each 200 100 椰菜
w 4 c Barker Brit. bqe. 456 ville 8 c Nielsen Brit. bqe. 714	Aug. 11 Rozario & Co. Sept. 5 Wm. Pustau & Co. Melbourne & Sydney	Rabbits,, 700 600 家鬼 Turkeys, Cook, catty 600 500 火鷄公	Turnip, Bohl each 30 - 羅蔔
CANTON Lamont Chi. str. 795	Sept. 21 C. M. S. N. Co. Shanghai Sept. 19 Siemssen & Co. Shanghai	Hen, 450 400 火鷄峻	and for pickling. 50 40 紅椰菜
Cass Brit. str. 761	Sept. 19 Siemssen & Co. Shanghai	一 pub. 海鮮	Course Rult catty 60 — 成紅旗
Men-of-war in	Hongkong Harbour.	Bombay Ducks, new per hundred 300 200 肚魚蛇	Carrots, Fresh, English catty 140 — 紅蘿蔔 Celery, Chinese, catty 120 93 本地片
	Data of	Bream, catty 70 60	Celery, English,, 200 - 來路芹
essel's Name. Anchor- Flag. " Class.	Tons. Guns. H. P. Date of Arrival. Commander.	Catfish , 140 — 鰻魚	Cucumbers, 30 一 資瓜
w 7 h British gun vessel	774 3 160 Sept. 11 E. J. Church	Codfish, Salt, 1b. 160 150 國際類焦	Chilles, Dried, 250 — 辣椒乾 Mized, 50 — 辣椒仔
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HONGKONG, MACAU AND CANTON RIVERS.	WATERS, &c.	Eels, Congor , 110 90 海慢 White , 160 一 白醬	Egg Plant, 30 20 矮瓜 Garlle, (bulb) dried, ,, 40 30 藍頭
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Name. Tons. Captain. Owners.		— File Fish,	,, Greens, White is 80 一 家庭
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